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Cotton Mill Plans Are Materializing Satisfactorily

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE VETOES BONUS BILL

Murderer of The Texas Actress May Be Caught Soon

Pieces of Cord May Send Men To The Chair

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, May 15.—Similarity between some bits of cord may send Harry Lesser to the electric chair.

The smooth young English thug, whose face is warped and crooked as his soul but whose outward manner has the Broadway polish, used cord to strangle some of his victims. Other times, they were merely bound.

When he slipped a noose about the jewel-laden throat of Mrs. Howard Johnson, wife of the composer and stripped her of gems, he made the inevitable mistake and overlooked something. By such a little thing as an empty medicine bottle, neglected on a bath room shelf, Lesser was traced and caught within 24 hours after his victim was found, half strangled, the familiar cord nearly buried in the white flesh of her neck.

In such a way, Louise Lawson died. The little Texas musician, whose short mad whirl on Broadway still is a by-word of that blase street was strangled to death by one of two men who stole the jewels from her uptown apartment not far from the hotel in which Mrs. Johnson was robbed.

Belief exists that this smug Englishman of half a dozen aliases may indeed be leader of a gang of jewel robbers, whose methods of putting their women victims beyond speech, (often, quite carelessly, beyond life) revert back to the strangulation by cord practiced by the thugs of India.

Already the police have found that the cord which nearly cost Mrs. Johnson her life was similar to that which bound the hands and feet of Herbert Bartlett, silk merchant, robbed by a gang three weeks ago and to that used in a robbery of the apartment of Mrs. Mildred Ford who already has identified Lesser as her assailant.

PRESIDENT CAN NOT EXTEND CLEMENCY

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Coolidge is not empowered to extend clemency to persons imprisoned for contempt of court, Federal Judges Carpenter and Wilkerson declared today in reversing the president's pardon of Philip Grossman, Chicago saloonkeeper. Grossman was sentenced to a year in jail in February, 1921 by former Federal Judge Landis on a charge of contempt of court for violating an injunction to close his saloon Several months ago he was pardoned by President Coolidge and it developed then that he had never served any of his jail sentence.

Sock The Cigaret Says Old College

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., May 15.—Smith College, exclusive college for girls, is out to sock the cigaret and three young women already have paid the price for indulgence of the habit.

President William Allen Nielsen made known the expulsion of three seniors—whose names were not given out—in a brief statement in which he said the action had been taken with full approval of the student governing body. The girls will be allowed to apply for reinstatement at the beginning of the spring term next year if they will promise not to use tobacco while in school. They were caught smoking in a tea room near the college campus, in company with several young men.

James Blair Harris of Dallas has been in the city since Wednesday.

KAREM SHRINERS TAKE OVER CITY

Headed by the band and patrol of Karem Temple about two hundred Shriners from Waco are in Mexia tonight to visit the Shrine Circus being given by the Mexia Shrine Club.

A concert will be given by the band in front of the circus tent tonight at 7:15 and as the Karem Shrine band is one of the largest of its kind in the South it is expected that every citizen in Mexia will be down for this concert. The director promises a concert that will be a treat to all music lovers, consisting of both the classic and popular numbers.

The officers of the Mexia Shrine Club are well pleased with the attendance to date and they are looking forward to tonight being one of the largest nights of the circus, however, tomorrow night is Corsicana night, when the Corsicana Shrine Club will visit the circus in a body.

The officers of the Shrine club have expressed their appreciation in numerous ways for the publicity that has been given them by the Mexia News and the Mexia News in turn wants to assure them that they are behind the Mexia Shrine club and intend further to give them all the publicity possible.

Will Congress Pass Measure Over Veto Now Up

WASHINGTON, May 15.—President Calvin Coolidge, today vetoed the soldier bonus insurance bill on the ground that the measure would prove too great a drain on the finances of the nation.

In a long veto message to Congress, the President once more stressed the need of governmental economy.

The President has been working for several days on this message, realizing apparently its political import as far as his own presidential aspirations are concerned. He takes the position, in his message, that the United States cannot pay the bill as propose din the vetoed bill. Had he waited until Friday night to have submitted his report against the bonus, it would automatically have become a law at that time.

The next question is will congress repass the bill over the president's veto? Will he lose this fight as he lost the fight against Japanese exclusion?

New Immigration Law.

By a vote of 308 to 58 the House today approved the immigration bill conference report, making Japanese exclusion effective July 1 and restricting general immigration to approximately 150,000. The Senate is expected to approve the bill tomorrow.

Z. Rochelle has returned from Dallas where he attended an insurance meeting last week. He states that there is now a contest on between insurance salesmen in the cities and the agents in the smaller places. The contest is stimulating business extensively, according to reports already made.

Mrs. Leila Easterling of Teague was in the city this morning having her eyes seen after.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: JOHN PHILIP SOUSA & MRS. T. M. FAIST.
Below: GAYLORD M. SALTZGABER & MARTIN B. MADDEN

Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has attacked President Coolidge for vetoing the Bursum bill, increasing Civil War pensions. Mrs. Frederick M. Faist, of Wayne, Pa., has been elected national president of the Y. W. C. A. for the third time, the first president to be re-elected. She became interested in the work while a student at Leland Stanford University, in California, of which her brother, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, is president. Another brother is Naval Secretary Curtis D. Wilbur. Congressman Martin B. Madden, of Illinois, denies public charges that he sought to pack the House Military Affairs Committee so it would give Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford. John Philip Sousa, march king, told a House committee that prohibition has destroyed the light opera industry, which he declares requires drinking songs of the rollicking kind, and "we can't write them any more as apparently the inspiration is lacking."

Stockholders Are Urged To Send In Their Second Payment on Subscriptions

Very satisfactory progress is being made in the furtherance of plans looking forward to the beginning at an early date of the construction of the Mexia Cotton Mills, according to a statement made today by J. K. Hughes, President of the Board of Directors.

The Secretary-Treasurer, J. Sanford Smith, has sent out a letter to all stock subscribers advising them

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SUNDAY AND 'MA' REACH FAMOUS ROCHESTER HOSPITAL

ROCHESTER, Minn., May 15.—Billy Sunday and "Ma" arrived from Memphis in a special car early today. They were taken direct to the Kahler hotel by Dr. W. J. Mayo, a close friend of the famous evangelist. Mr. Sunday is suffering from kidney trouble. Mrs. Sunday, injured in an auto accident recently, was take from the car on a stretcher.

Coolidge Defeated In Fight Measure To Exclude Japs

WASHINGTON, May 15.—President Coolidge has accepted defeat of his efforts to modify the Japanese exclusion clause in the new immigration bill by negotiations with congressional leaders, and veto of the whole measure is seriously considered, it was indicated at the White House today. The conference report on the bill is scheduled to come up in the House today.

Waco Is Coming For Circus And To Help Mexia

Waco Night at the Mexia Shrine Circus, and that's tonight, promises to be the biggest event so far characterizing the big show and exhibit here this week. The tent was filled with several thousand people Wednesday night and this attendance bids fair to be exceeded tonight.

The Karem Temple Shrine band will be here from Waco by seven o'clock, with at least 100 other Nobles from Karemland.

The work of the drill team, which won National recognition last year, will be a feature on the streets at 7:00 o'clock this evening, which is free to the public and which will likely attract the greatest throng of the week.

In the big tent tonight, the Karem band and the Mexia Elks band will combine, forming an organization of more than fifty musical instruments.

MOODY DRILLING NEAR WOODBINE DEPTHS NOW

The Moody test is now drilling around 3090 feet. The altitude is about 55 feet above the Mexia field, which would make the depth, on a comparative basis, approximately 3055 feet.. It is making from six to ten feet daily at present. If oil is encountered, it is believed by oil men generally that it should be determined within the next forty or fifty feet at least. Some trading is going on near the lease.

The Mexia Lions club will hold its regular weekly meeting Friday of this week. A full attendance is urged, as a very important session is to be held. The luncheon will be served at the Majestic Cafe in the Hurdleston hotel building.

SUSQUEHANA OUT OF ITS BANKS DOING HEAVY DAMAGE

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 15.—The Susquehana River went out of its banks early today, flooding sections of the new $500,000 "Kirby Park" and lowlands along the West Side.

Reports from up the river this morning indicate that a large volume of water is on its way down The creeks and tributaries are swollen by the recent rains and it is believed the river will reach flood stage here.

CHINAMAN KILLS SELF AT BIG METHODIST MEETING

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Roger Rahn, 28, a Chinese delegate to the Methodist Episcopal General Conference, committeed suicide today by drinking cyanide potasium in a hotel room.

Committeemen Favor Clearing Representative

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The House committee investigating charges against congressmen today recommended to the House that Representative Sihleman of Maryland be considered cleared of charges against him and that further consideration of the case against Representative Langley of Kentucky be deferred pending the result of his appeal from conviction at Covington, Ky., for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

DEVELOPING COMPANY HAS THREE PRODUCERS IN THE LULING POOL

The J. K. Hughes Developing Company now has three good producers in the Luling Oil Field, with a fourth to start drilling in today. It should be completed by Saturday and gives promise of being equal to the largest of the first three wells, which came in for a flush production around 2,000 barrels.

TO HER THAT HATH NOT SHALL BE TAKEN THAT WHICH SHE HATH

VERSAILLES, France, May 15.—The court today rejected Edith Kelly Gould's claim to half of the $40,000,000 fortune of Frank Gould her former husband. Edith must pay the costs of the trial.

The Nowlin Post of the American Legion held a meeting at Post headquarters Tuesday night. Some very important matters came before the body for consideration.

Negro Who Killed Man 42 Years Ago Receives Long Term in Prison

QUITMAN, Ga., May 15.—Gene Foster, 82 year old negro, today began a sentence of 99 years in jail, imposed last night by a jury here when he was convicted of a murder committed 42 years ago.

Foster was convicted of murdering R. W. Wilkerson, widely known farmer of this section with an axe in 1882.

Immediately after the murder Foster disappeared and all trace of him was lost until a few days ago when he was found in Florida. Protesting it was a case of mistaken identity, Foster was brought back here for trial.

Several of the State's witnesses had died, but enough remained to convince the jury they were trying the right man.

Fundamentalist And Modernist Question Is Up

ATLANTA, Ga., May 15.—A resolution which will bring into the open the fundamentalists-modernist dispute was introduced in the Southern Baptist convention today by Dr. C. P. Stealey, editor of the Baptist Messenger, Oklahoma City.

The resolution proposed that "trustees, officers and members of faculties of institutions owned, fostered or supported by the Southern Baptist convention be required to sign a statement of belief, conforming to eight points of the fundamentalist doctrines. The resolution would require an absolute acceptance of the basic and literal meaning of the scriptures. These eight points include the inspiration of the Bible, the Unity and Equality of the three persons of the Godhead, the literal acceptance of the Creation story as accounted in the Book of Genesis, the virgin birth of Christ, the atonement of sin only through belief in Christ, the new creation or rebirth in Christ, the actual bodily resurrection and return of Christ from the grave and the spiritual conception of the worldly church. The resolution was referred to the committee on resolutions, postponing discussion.

L. J. Gartman, of Goldthwaite, was in the city Tuesday.

Wife Found Who Ran Away With Family Purse

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 15.—After searching six months for his wife who mysteriously disappeared with a large sum of money, Guadalupe Luna has been informed that Mrs. Luna is in Houston, where she has established a confectionery business. Mr. Luna left at once for that city.

Police were asked to assist in the search for the woman, which carried her husband to the West coast and to Mexico.

Country Club Organizes Permanently At Meeting In Elk's Home Wednesday; Ben Howard, President; Gibson, Sec.

TEXAS TABS

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, May 15.—C. C. Barley, 37, was seriously injured when his automobile was struck by a Wichita Valley passenger train at a grade crossing near here.

DENTON, Texas, May 15.—Billboards have been removed from Denton county highways by order of the Commissioners' court.

GRANGER, Texas, May 15.—Voters favored a $135,000 school bond issue by a narrow margin in Wednesday's special election here.

DALLAS, Texas, May 15.—Texas contractors met here today in annual convention. Problems of ethics and education were discussed. The meeting adjourns tonight with a banquet.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight, fair, except showers on west coast. Friday fair.

West Texas—Tonight fair, probably frost in Panhandle. Friday fair.

Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock about fifty members of the Mexia Country Club met at the Elks Home for the purpose of completing the organization and perfecting plans leading to an application for a charter. It was found that a quorum was present, following a roll call of the 93 members who have signed the list and complied with the rules as to payment for stock subscriptions declared due.

Ben Howard called to the meeting to order and declared the gathering ready for business. The first business he called to the attention of the club was to elect a temporary president and secretary and then to proceed to a permanent organization basis.

By general approval, he was urged to go ahead and preside, which he did. Hamp Gibson was elected temporary Secretary.

J. Nussbaum moved that a directory of seven members, including the president be elected by the club. This motion carried.

J. K. Hughes offered a motion that the chair appoint three of those present to retire to an adjoining room and

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McFALL WILDCAT IS DRILLING BELOW 3700

Drilling is now progressing day and night on the McFall wildcat test, four miles Northeast of Mexia. The derrick is noted lighted at night as the drill progrsses below 3700 feet. It is said that the formation now entered is the best looking of any yet encountered.

CONTRACT FOR DEEP TESTS

MARLIN, Texas, May 15.—A contract has been closed between H. A. Myrin and land owners just west of the Brazos River in the Deer Creek area for two deep tests for oil and gas. Drilling on the first well, which will go to a depth of not less than 2,000 feet, will be started immediately.

It is learned that the date for Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, candidate for Governor, to speak in Mexia has been changed to the night of May the 23rd. Crowds are expected to be here from all parts of Limestone county and all adjoining counties.

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MANY CITIES CONSIDER PUBLIC PARKS

Cities all over the state are now considering the question of public parks. They know their value in promoting the happiness and well being of a prosperous and growing community.

The entire state is talking of the decision of Houstonians to invest more than a half a million dollars in another park.

A meeting was held last week over in Bosque county when thousands of people assembled for the consideration of a public park in that part of the state.

Mexiaites generally have indorsed the acceptance by the city of the Hughes Park and have commended J. K. Hughes for his wisdom and loyalty to the Mexia of the future as well as that of the present when he made the fine gift of twelve acres in the heart of Mexia to Mexia for park purposes. By beginning now to develop the plot, property values in that part of the city in which the acreage is located will be greatly enhanced and actual money benefits are sure to accrue from the fullest development of the pleasure and recreational center.

Parks represent civic attractions and this one, fully utilized, will prove an important factor in drawing to Mexia the best grades of substantial citizenship.

What is needed now is immediate action, by which this piece of ground may become an asset rather than a liability which it will surely become if unattended and not utilized.

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The negroes in the West part of town who patronize the school in that part of the city are the only ones in Mexia who have adopted a name for their school home. It is called the Dunbar School, in memory of a beloved friend of their race.

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WHAT IS MEXIA'S GREATEST NEED?

Many citizens are often heard to offer editorial suggestions for the home newspaper. They ask that space be given to a discussion of the various problems, as they see them, confronting the city, naming what they deem most important. This help is always duly appreciated and if there is a civic subject on record which The News has not discussed in its editorial columns, it is not known at this time. In order to make the editorial page more helpful to Mexia, every citizen is urged to contribute open letters to be published under the column "From the People." This will be a real service and one that will be appreciated both by The News and by the public at large. Since a broadside invitation such as this is seldom accepted, The News is going to make the request more personal by a direct appeal to certain citizens to discuss what is on their hearts under the caption, "Mexia's Greatest Need Today." But all are invited to contribute to the column.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

A HALF-MILLION-DOLLAR PARK FOR HOUSTON

(From the Dallas News)

We have been thinking up here in Dallas that we had a pretty fair collection of parks. For distribution and availability, Dallas parks do measure up in a creditable fashion. But when it comes to going for parks on a really big scale, Dallas can't hold a candle to Houston. Houston has just arranged to purchase a 1,705-acre park at a price of $532,057. It is said by Houston newspapers to be the sixth largest single city park in the United States. In one jump Houston goes ahead of San Antonio, Waco and Dallas, as well as other cities of Texas.

It is a magnificent project that the citizens of Houston have in mind, and one that will enhance the attractiveness of the inland port of the gulf. We may be sure that the benefits of it will by no means be localized, for it takes an outstanding example of this sort to stir useful and fruitful emulation. A half million dollars to bring the joys of the open to cooped-up city folk, can be taken as evidence enough that Houston residents understand the measure of social values. People, and not property, are the most precious good of any community, and that city which cares most for its people will be held highest in the thoughts of its own.

Houston did well to acquire this land now, instead of waiting until its acquisition would amount to a heroic challenge of difficulties in the way. By beginning early in its policy of generously providing ample park accommodations, the city makes sure that it will be a good place to live in as well as one in which to make a living. In establishing a parity between those two distinct opportunities which every home-lover seeks, Houston makes a strong bid for the best grade of substantial citizenship. Houston has made wonderful strides of late, but in nothing has its vision and its wisdom been more strikingly evidenced than in this undertaking.

Old Settlers Picnic May 29

The Old Settlers Picnic which is an annual event, will be held this year at Old Springtown, Fort Parker, May 29. The picnic, the general, is invited to come and bring something good to eat and enjoy the day with the old timers of this section.

Don't forget the date, the day, May 29, and the place, Old Springtown.

To replace the barber's hot towel used after shaving an inventor has patented an absorbent device that fits the lower part of a man's face and retains the heat and moisture longer.

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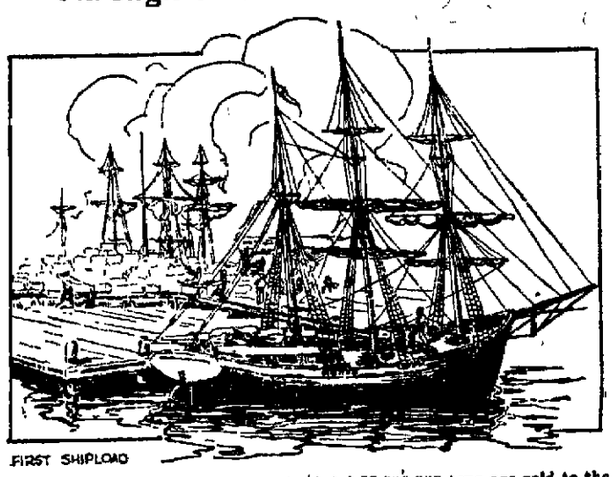
Our spring cleaning and painting has just been finished. Everything spick and span—come see a clean grocery. TIDWELL'S.

Ice Industry Rises to Ninth Place Through Year-Round Public Service



FIRST SHIPLOAD

The ice industry has risen to ninth place among American commercial enterprises in point of financial investment, according to a nation-wide survey just announced by the National Association of Ice Industries. Returns from the comprehensive survey, it was stated, show that over $700,000,000 is now invested in the industry.

"In 1805 the first commercial shipload of natural ice was sent from America by Frederick Tudor, Boston, to Martinique in the West Indies to combat yellow fever," says the survey.

"America's first successful ice plant was built at San Antonio Texas, in 1865. There are now approximately 5,000 plants making and harvesting ice for commercial purposes. They produce more than 40,000,000 tons annually. Of this total 25,000,000 tons are sold to the public.

"Nearly three quarters of a billion dollars today represents the investment in the production of ice and the number of persons engaged in production and distribution totals approximately 175,000, in addition to the 5,000 dealers.

"This tremendous growth is remarkable in view of the uncertainties of demand that prevail every year, the inevitable rush seasons and the factor of weather which is of such vital importance both in production of natural ice and in demand and distribution. A big factor in this growth has also been the awakening of the housewife to the fact that ice should be used during all of the year. This latter development has been due to the educational work of the industry itself."

STOCKHOLDERS ARE URGED TO SEND IN THEIR SECOND PAYMENT ON SUBSCRIPTION

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that the second installment is due and urging them to make prompt payment in order that no unnecessary delay may be experienced when the building plans are completed.

The letter is as follows:

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In order that we shall have as little delay as possible in getting our construction under way, we will thank you to give your installment payments prompt attention.

Make your checks payable to the "Mexia Cotton Mills" and mail direct to the Secretary & Treasurer.

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Mexia Country Club Organizes Permanently at Meeting in Elks Home Wed.

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select the seven proposed directors. This motion also carried and the chair appointed for this purpose, J. K. Hughes, A. H. Eubanks and Mayor E. Watson.

These promptly retired and brought in the following nominations for directors: R. B. Bass, John Sweatt, Sam Cox, J. K. Hughes, Julius Nussbaum, Ben Howard and J. Sandford Smith.

This proposed board was sanctioned by a unanimous vote, following which they retired and selected from their number, Ben Howard to serve the first year as president. They also elected Hamp Gibson to serve as secretary.

While considering business before the organization the directors also selected a committee of three to complete the golf course and to attend to further duties incident to the development of the property, south of town, and to secure plans for a proposed club house. These three selected were Sam Cox, Roy Bass and Ben Howard.

It was unanimously decided that the name of the organization should be the Mexia Country Club and the board of directors was instructed to take such steps immediately necessary to amend the old charter of the Mexia Fishing and Gun Club so that the name might be so changed and the capital stock increased to $50,000.

Upon a motion being made by A. T. Schulz, which carried, all power was vested in the directors to proceed with the business of the club, until the amended charter could be secured and a constitution and by laws adopted by the entire membership.

Hamp Gibson offered a motion that the Board of Directors take such steps as necessary to procure the charter, the capital stock to be $50,000, the par value of stock being $500.

This motion prevailed.

After some discussion preceding this motion, it was decided to limit the membership to 100.

With 93 members already signed up, only seven more members may be added.

Many of the subjects that will be taken up in the by laws of the club were discussed. It was decided that the dues be $5 per month. Charles E. Boberg offered a motion, which carried that the dues be $5 per month, payable quarterly.

In view of half of the capital stock having to be paid in before a charter could be secured, two payments on stock subscriptions are now due, also dues for the month of May. On the first of June $10 will be paid on dues and after that the payment will be quarterly, according to the motion that carried.

It was explained that many of the matters of interest to the club would be taken up in the Constitution and by laws. These are to be presented to the membership for consideration before adoption, following the receipt of the amended charter.

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CAR THIEVES WORKING IN THE POWELL FIELD

A Dodge Brothers roadster, belonging to the J. K. Hughes Developing Company, was stolen last night from the Alexander lease at Powell. G. M Ball, lease superintendent there, has notified the officers in this and all adjoining counties in an effort to apprehend the thieves. The car was fitted up with all accessories, including a new tire which was just purchased Wednesday. A reward of $25 is being offered to anyone giving information that will lead to the return of the car.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Here is the program for today and tomorrow of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church which convenes in San Antonio today:

Thursday, May 15.

Assembly meets 11 a. m. Sermon by Dr. Alexander Sprunt, retiring moderator. Celebration of the Lord's Supper following the sermon. At 2:30 p. m. the enrollment of commissioners will be announced and a moderator and clerks will be elected. Reports of the Executive Committees of Foreign Missions and Home Missions will be submitted.

Friday, May 16.

Announcement of Standing Committees. Reading and referring of Overtures. Reports from Executive Committees, Woman's Auxiliary and Stewardship Committee. Popular meeting in the evening in interest of Publication and Sabbath School work.

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Utilizing ultraviolet rays in a device of his invention, a German scientist has made it possible to read ancient parchment and papyrus manuscripts from which the writing apparently has disappeared.

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Texarkana Lady Speaks of Mexia As She Saw It

The office of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of the following letter:

Texarkana, Texas, May 12, 1924.
Mr. Ben F. Stollenwerck, Sec'y.,
Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of 26th ultimo received. I note your question regarding suggestions for constructive work in Mexia.

Permit me first to express my appreciation of some excellent things you have already accomplished. Your Library building and grounds, your high school and fine churches are unusual for a place the size of Mexia and that your citizenship is progressive was very evidently shown by the wholehearted cordiality extended to our convention.

Now I shall feel very free to refer to some things, that impressed me unfavorably. I might say that for twenty years I have been interested in and studying civic problems. The physical appearance, governmental or political side and the social side also the commercial progress.

Mexia needs unbroken pavement, those unpaved parts of the streets are very unsatisfactory for looks as well as utility.

The Post Office should be better. Indeed, there is much opportunity for cleaning up and improving the general appearance of your business district. I do not believe that there need be a bad looking place in a moderate sized community. The problem in its final analysis rests with the individual citizenship and if every resident (owner or renter of property) keeps their individual place up as well as it can be kept the appearance of your town is solved.

Now every village, town or city should have a comprehensive plan, so each succeeding council can work toward some end.

The depot ground should be attractive.

The streets paved, good sidewalks, trees planted, uniform in kind and location.

Good lighting system; alleys kept as clean as the streets.

Cemeteries kept up; all public building grounds artistically planted by a landscape artist.

Private grounds also laid out and planted to insure comfort and beauty. Window boxes and porch boxes can be used to a good advantage.

There should be ample space set aside for park and play grounds.

Every town should have a good sized auditorium that would seat all the citizenship that would come out to municipal attractions or meetings of general interest.

I could give you many more suggestions but will say in conclusion that I have resigned as President of the Texarkana Women's Club and expect to give my services to the State where ever they may be in demand.

I leave tomorrow night for a short stay in Kansas. This is a personal visit, then come back home and go with my husband to a Knights Templar State Convention at Newport, Arkansas. I come home and go as a delegate from Bowie County, Texas, to a Democratic State Convention in Waco, May 27th and on the 29th join Club women at Fort Worth to go to Los Angeles to the G. F. W. C. June 2nd to 13th. That is the delegated meeting of our 2,700,000 club women that meets biannually.

I have studied civic problems and traveled about over the East, West Middle West, North and South as far as New Orleans and I believe I can be of help to any community that wants help and consequently this fall I will accept as many invitations as my time will permit and the only expense will be my entertainment while I am in the community I am serving.

It is desirable to hold conferences with groups and also have a mass meeting, the great thing is to get public sentiment aroused.

Now I have perhaps gone into a more extended discussion of this problem than you anticipated but I presume some to whom you have addressed letters will not answer at all.

If you would like to have me come to Mexia just let me know.

Civic beauty is a big asset to a community.

Yours cordially,
MRS. DAY MILLS.

Galveston Entertains Conventions Month of May

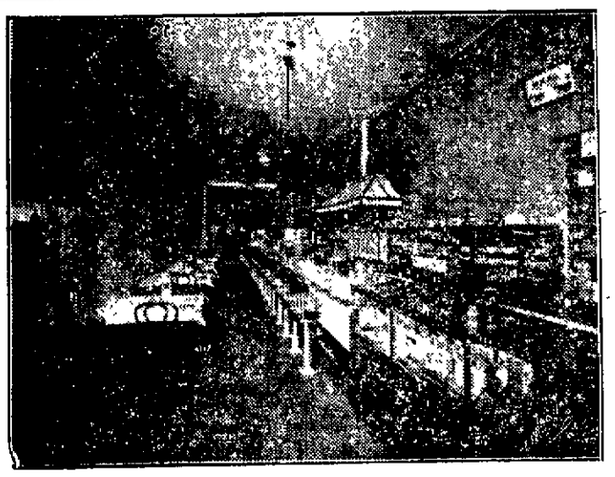
GALVESTON, Texas, May 15.—Four annual conventions, bringing a total of 700 delegates, is the entertainment calendar for Galveston during May, according to I. D. McMaster, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

The city's first convention guests for the month, the Catholic Alumnae, opened the first day of their two-day session yesterday and closes today; the Texas Tent and Awning Makers' convention will be held May 18-19; the Texas Music Dealers' Association will convene May 22-23, and the Gulf Coast Association of Odd Fellows and Rebeccas will hold a three-day convention beginning May 28. Fully 300 delegates are expected to attend the latter event.

The biggest event of the month for Galveston, however, will be the fifth annual bathing girl revue, to be held May 17-18-19. This year's revue is expected to draw the largest crowds of any single event in South Texas for the three days.

E. D. Dechert was here from Waco Wednesday.

Acrobats at the Shrine Circus here this week.



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Texas Electricians Form Asociation

DALLAS, Texas, May 15.—A permanent organization of Texas electricians was formed here recently at a meeting of leading electrical contractors and dealers.

The new organization will be known as Texas Association of Electricians.

T. L. Farmers, Dallas, was elected first president of the association. Walter C. Graham, San Antonio, was made vice-president, and Charles W. Graham, Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

The following were made members of the executive committee; Rap Prather, Beaumont; E. M. Dupee, Houston; H. E. Jacks, Ft. Worth; J. O. Anchewartha, Austin, and W. G. Sturdivant, Brownwood.

Mrs. J. T. Bounds of Tehuacana was in the city this week having her eyes seen after by a local eyesight specialist.

Miss Iona Mills of Tehuacana was in Mexia this week and consulted a local optometrist about her eyes.

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Major N. P. Houx and J. Frank Cogdell returned this morning from San Antonio, where they have been attending the Knights of Pythias grand lodge meeting, and they report a successful meeting and a delightful time.

Mrs. H. F. Capshaw left Wednesday for Dallas where she will make her future home.

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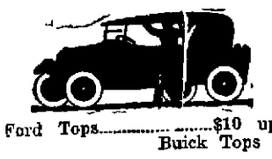

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TWO BIG ROUNDS WIN FOR WACO INDIANS

WACO, Texas, May 15.—Green and Sanders both allowed nine hits, but the Indians, by timely hitting and scoring three runs in the second and seventh frames, defeated Mexia, 7 to 2. Lewis hit a homer and Fowlkes two doubles.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly, l f	3	2	1	2	0	0
Strickland 2 b	4	1	1	2	4	0
Lewis s s	4	1	1	2	3	0
Hall r f	3	0	1	4	0	0
Province c f	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shires 1 b	3	1	2	9	0	0
McBride 3 b	2	1	0	2	3	0
Humphreys c	4	0	1	3	1	0
Green p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Total	30	7	9	27	12	1
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	4	1	2	1	2	0
Fowlkes 1 b	4	0	2	12	0	1
Butler l f	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bryan c f	3	0	0	3	0	0
McDowell r f	4	0	2	2	1	0
Jones 3 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Leedy 2 b	1	0	0	3	5	0
Scheiffer c	3	1	2	1	0	0
Sanders p	1	0	0	0	8	0
Total	33	2	9	21	19	1

Mexia 000 010 001—1
Waco 030 010 30*—7

Home run—Lewis. Two-base hits—Shires, Fowlkes 2, Hall, Scheiffer. Strike out—Sanders 1. Bases on balls—Off Sanders 6.

BATHERS POUND FLAHARTY SMITH HURLS CLASSY BALL

MARLIN, Texas, May 15.—The Bathers knocked Flaharty out in the sixth and defeated the Austin Rangers 5 to 1, here Wednesday.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	5	0	0	1	0	0
Alexander 2 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Greer l f	3	0	0	1	0	0
F. Pipkin 1 b	5	1	2	13	2	0
Munson r f	5	2	3	2	0	0
Rawlins s s	2	1	1	2	2	1
White 3 b	3	0	1	0	3	0
Covington c	3	1	2	8	2	0
Smith p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Total	30	5	11	27	10	1
Austin—						
Griggs c f	4	0	0	1	0	0
R. Pipkin s s	4	0	0	1	4	1
Chaney 2 b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Clements 3 b	2	0	1	2	3	0
Anhoir 1 b	2	0	0	15	1	0
Bedford l f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Henderson c	4	0	0	2	2	0
Courtney r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Flaharty p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Cole p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Total	28	1	3	24	17	1

Marlin 000 001 10*—5
Austin 100 000 000—1

Home runs—Rawlins, Chaney. Two-base hit—Munson. Losing pitcher—Flaharty. Struck out—By Smith 6, Flaharty 1. Bases on balls—Off Smith 4, Flaharty 3, Cole 3.

GOOSE CREEK PULLS OFF TRADE WEEK

GOOSE CREEK, Texas, May 15.—Goose Creek's Chamber of Commerce will advertise their city to the surrounding towns and communities with a trade week, to be inaugurated June 23 and lasting until June 28.

Preceding trade week, on June 8, a trade excursion will be made into Goose Creek's trade territory and will include the towns of Crosby, Lynchburg, Elena, Cedar Bayou, Barber's Hill and Cove.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Yesterday's Results.

Waco 7, Mexia 2.
Marlin 5, Austin 1.
Temple-Corsicanat, wet grounds.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	18	12	6	.667
Waco	20	13	7	.650
Marlin	20	11	9	.550
Mexia	22	10	12	.455
Temple	18	7	14	.389
Austin	20	6	14	.300

Where They Play Today.
Mexia at Waco.
Corsicana at Temple.
Austin at Marlin.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 12, Beaumont 1.
Houston-Shreveport, wet grounds.
Fort Worth 5, Galveston 4.
Wichita Falls 6, San Antonio 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	27	21	6	.778
San Antonio	28	18	10	.643
Dallas	28	16	12	.571
Wichita Falls	27	14	13	.519
Beaumont	28	13	15	.464
Houston	27	12	15	.444
Galveston	28	11	17	.393
Shreveport	25	4	21	.160

Where They Play Today.
Beaumont at Dallas.
Galveston at Fort Worth.
Houston at Shreveport.
San Antonio at Wichita Falls.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 11, New York 1.
Philadelphia 5, Detroit 4.
Boston 12, Chicago 0.
Cleveland 5, Washington 2, (called in seventh; rain.)

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	22	14	8	.636
St. Louis	23	13	10	.565
Boston	20	11	9	.550
Detroit	22	11	11	.500
Cleveland	22	11	11	.500
Chicago	24	10	11	.476
Washington	24	11	13	.458
Philadelphia	22	7	15	.318

Where They Play Today.
St. Louis at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburgh-Philadelphia, rain.
New York 6, Chicago 4.
Boston 8, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 4, St Louis 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Cincinnati	23	15	8	.652
New York	21	15	9	.625
Chicago	27	15	12	.556
Brooklyn	21	12	12	.500
Pittsburgh	21	11	13	.458
Boston	20	9	11	.510
St Louis	23	9	14	.391
Philadelphia	19	6	13	.316

Where They Play Today.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh

Eyes Bad? Try Camphor

For eye trouble there is nothing better than simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One small bottle helps any case sore, weak or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. Anderson & Horn, druggists.—(Adv.)

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Longview 9, Mount Pleasant 4.
Sulphur Springs 5, Paris 4.
Greenville 9, Marshall 5.
Tyler 5, Texarkana 1.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	22	15	7	.682
Greenville	22	13	9	.591
Tyler	21	12	9	.571
Sulphur Springs	22	12	10	.545
Paris	21	10	11	.476
Longview	21	10	11	.476
Marshall	21	8	12	.381
Texarkana	20	5	15	.250

Where They Play Today.
Greenville at Marshall.
Paris at Sulphur Springs.
Tyler at Texarkana.
Longview at Mount Pleasant.

TEN THOUSAND ATTENDED HUGE WEDDING FEAST

VIENNA.—The marriage of the 15-year-old daughter of Rabbi Teitelbaum, with the equally famous Rabbi Halberstamm of Gorlice, celebrated in the town of Marmoros-Sziget, in Northern Roumania, inspired a wedding feast of Homeric proportions for which were sacrificed 32 oxen, 210 sheep, 160 calves, 2100 geese and 3,000 chickens. Two carloads of liquid refreshments washed these down.

About 10,000 Jews from Russia, Poland and Austria appeared as guests, including seventy-five rabbis. Gifts to the happy couple were worth several thousand pounds. The ceremonies lasted a week, beginning with big dinners for the poor.

Says His Prescription Has Wonderful Influence over Rheumatism

Mr. James H. Allen of Rochester, N. Y., suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery, which he called Allenrhu, to others who took it with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. He has therefore instructed druggists everywhere to dispense Allenrhu with the understanding that if the first pint bottle does not show the way to complete recovery he will gladly return your money without comment. Anderson & Horn can supply you.—(Adv.)

Born Pickpocket, She Dies Millionaire.

SOPHIE LYONS BURKE

Sophie Lyons Burke, of Detroit, Mich., was a pickpocket at 6 and at 25 she was a world-famous international crook. Then she turned straight, and when she died she left an estate of $1,000,000, made in real estate deals.

For Mexia, I WILL.

Rough Dry

THE TIMID BORROWER

"I'd like to borrow $50 to buy a cow, I saw yesterday," said a farmer to the cashier of a country bank.

The cashier hesitated. "No, I can't lend you $50 for a cow, but I'll let you have $100 or $125."

Astonishment was written all over the face of the man seeking funds. "Why, I can't afford to pay that amount for a cow. I'm rather hard up just now."

"If you can afford to buy a cow at all, you can afford to buy a good cow instead of a poor one," replied the cashier. Then he proceeded to explain just why a high-priced cow was cheaper than one costing only $50.

"The average cow, producing about 165 pounds of butterfat valued at 56 cents a pound, earns $82 as a year's gross income," he said. "Deducting the cost of feed leaves a profit of only $10 to $12, and does not take into account the labor involved, depreciation, and other overhead expenses. Now can you honestly afford to buy this kind of a cow? A $100 or $125 cow will produce 300 to 350 pounds of butterfat. You can figure the profits for yourself."

Convinced of the profitableness of investing more money in a cow, the farmer left the bank with the funds in his hands. He started paying for the animal with his first milk check. One half of each milk check went to the bank to pay off the indebtedness, while the farmer retained the remainder for his expenses.—*Banker-Farmer.*

K. C. Marshall of Waco was a Mexia visitor Tuesday.

J. W. Pruitt, of Corsicana, was here Tuesday.

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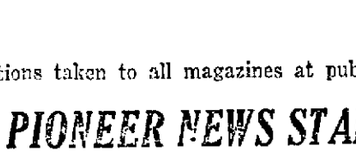

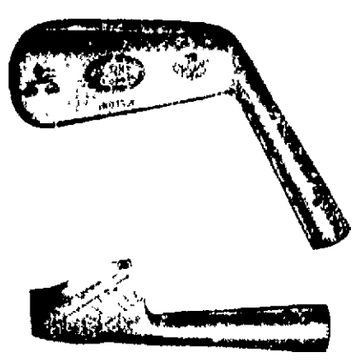

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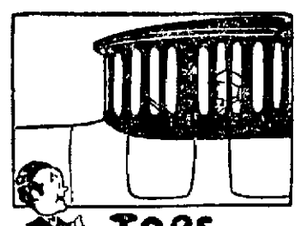

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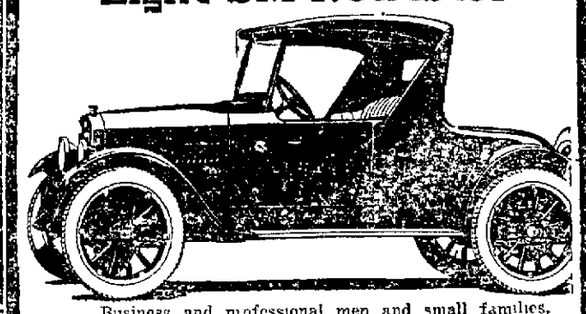

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Southern Baptists Gather at Atlanta

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 15.—Many members of the Southern Baptist church in Texas were expected in Atlanta, Ga., today for the opening session of that body at the annual convention. Particular attention is being paid to this year's assembly by all churches of the south because of the extensive program before the meeting.

Among the most important matters to be brought up for consideration will be the completion of the $75,000,000 campaign, the proposed reorganization of several boards, the reclaiming of George Washington university at Washington, and the taking over of Southwestern Baptist Theological seminary at Fort Worth.

Local News

W. D. Freeman has returned from Dallas, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He has been able to be in town a few times since his return. His many friends are glad to see him out again.

Roscoe Cook and wife and their daughter left Wednesday for Dallas to have their little girl treated by surgeons there.

Mrs. E. L. Reagan left for her home in Oklahoma City Wednesday after a visit with her brother, A. A. Vestal.

Mrs. Luther W. Adamson returned to her home in Dallas Wednesday after a very pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. andn Mrs. A. A. Steele.

Albert H. Berry and R. F. Babb of the Berry-Barnett Grocery Company attended the grocerymen's convention in Dallas this week.

Harry P. Jordan of Waco, candidate for the State Senate from this district, arrived in Mexia Wednesday in his campaign over the district.

Peyton Irving, Jr., of Austin, State inspector for the Department of Education of Texas, was in Mexia Tuesday.

C. E. Booth was here Tuesday from Austin.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight champion, stopped Joe White, New York, in the sixth round.

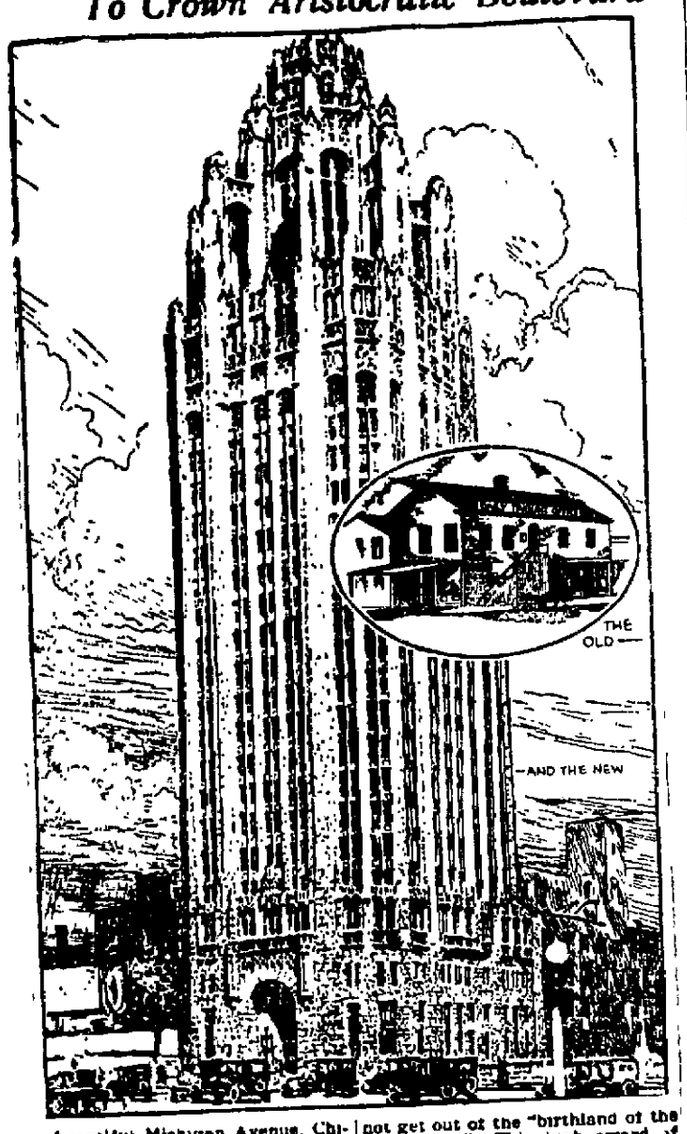
CHICAGO.—Herbie Schaeffer, Chicago, is carded to meet Phil O'Dowd in a 10-round match at Columbus, May 19.

CHICAGO.—Frankie Garcia, Memphis and Mickey O'Dowd, Muncie, Ind., are scheduled to meet here for a 10-round battle next Monday night.

BIG BANK CLOSES

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., May 15.—The Drovers National Bank, one of the largest in Southern Illinois, closed its doors today. A sign on the door announced that the institution is in the hands of federal bank examiners. It is announced that the bank's failure is due to the failure during the past year of many Missouri banks.

New Monument of Enduring Beauty To Crown Aristocratic Boulevard



Beautiful Michigan Avenue, Chicago's imposing lane of architectural genius, is to be crowned by the most distinctive office building in the world. Work is already under way on the Tribune Tower, which afforded the greatest architectural contest in history, with prizes of $100,000.

On June 10, 1847, when the present roaring metropolis was a village, the first Chicago Tribune was printed on a hand press in a single room. Seventy-five years later to the day, the Tribune announced the architectural contest for the "world's most beautiful office building." Architects in twenty-two states and twenty-three foreign lands competed, 260 designs having been submitted. First prize did not get out of the "birthland of the skyscraper." This high award of $50,000 went to John Mead Howells and Raymond M. Hood, associate architects, New York. The remaining $50,000 was divided among other architects.

Determination of the owners to "adorn with a monument of enduring beauty" the city where the Tribune has prospered, resulted in selection of Indiana Limestone as the building material. Thus the Tribune Tower will harmonize with other striking limestone structures on Michigan Boulevard. These include the new $16,000,000 Straus building, the Chicago Art Institute, the Public Library, the new London Guarantee building and the University club.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero—Andy High.

The Brooklyn infielder put his team ahead with a homer and then beat the Cards, 4 to 3, in the ninth with a single.

Terry's single, a triple by Young and Frisch's single in the ninth inning scored two runs and gave the Giants a 6 to 4 victory over the Cubs.

Bunching hits off Hoyt and Pipgras for five runs in the fifth and sixth innings, the Browns beat the Yanks, 11 to 1, after the Yanks had raised the world championship pennant. Sisler got two doubles, a single, scored two runs and stole a base.

Jack Quinn, veteran spitballer, let the White Sox down with four hits and the Red Sox won, 12 to 0.

After losing twelve straight games, the Athletics came to life and beat the Tigers, 5 to 4.

The Indians hit Johnson and Zachary in the pinches and won a seven inning game from the Senators, 5 to 2.

Lose pitching by Shehan and an error by Bohne in the first inning gave the Braves five runs and an 8 to 2 victory over the Reds.

SCANDAL STILL BREAKS OUT IN OFFICIAL RING

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Ralph Day, former prohibition director of New York, was whitewashed after Secretary of the Treasury Mellon was informed that Day had been loaned $100,000 by alleged bootlegger, M. L. Scaife, former Department of Justice agent, charged before the Senate Daugherty investigating committee today. Day was allowed to resign and was never prosecuted, Scaife testified.

Joseph W. Allen was here from Temple Tuesday.

Yesterday's Homers.

Hornsby, Cards, one—total 5.
High, Robins, one—total 2.
Hollocher, Cubs, one—total 1.

With Babe Ruth at Bat.

First inning—Fanned.
Fourth inning—Walked.
Sixth inning—Walked.
Eighth inning—Singled to right.

JACK PICKFORD
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Suggested by a John Fox Jr. story
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WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's bedtime stories
WWJ, 6, News orchestra.
KGO, 6 to 7:30, Orchestra.
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WOAW, 6 to 6:30, Every Child's Story Hour.
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WOAW, 6:30 to 7:30, Dinner program.
WACE, 6:30, Uncle Kaybee.
WBZ, 6:30, Musical program.
WOC, 6:30, Sandman's visit.
KYW, 6:35, Talk on Sports.
KFSG, 6:30 to 7:30, Vocal and instrumental concert.
WGY, 6:45, A Few Moments with new books; Saxophone orchestra.
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KYW, 6:45, Talk.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WHB, 7 to 7:30, Educational bulletin instrumental numbers.
WDAP, 7 to 8, Drake Ensemble and Blackstone Quintet.
WMAQ, 7, Boy Scouts' Talk.
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WFI, 7, Boy Scouts Radio Corps meeting.
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WIP, 7, Timely talks to motorists
WIP, 7:15, Philadelphia Police Band.
KGW, 7:15, Olson's orchestra.
KYW, 7:20 to 8:20, Musical program.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Concert.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.
WCX, 7:30, Musical program.
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBZ, 7:30, Recital of violin and various voices.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

KSD, 8, Musical program.
WSB, 8 to 9, Harmony Boys' orchestra.
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WJAX, 8, Concert numbers.
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WOS, Annual Journalism Week.
WHB, 8 to 10, Classical music by Sweeny orchestra.
WIP, 8, Concert.
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WBZ, 8:30, Violin and piano.
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WMC, 8:30, Philharmonic Orchestra.
WMAQ, 8:40, La Salle orchestra.
KHJ, 8:45 to 9, American History.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Concert entertainment.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
KGW, 9, Dance music.
WOC, 9, Palmer orchestra.
WBMAQ, 9, Lecture.
WOAW, 9, to 11, Piano recital.
KHJ, 9 to 9:30, Children's program.
WFI, 9:10, Kerr's orchestra.
WIP, 9:30, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Concert, Masonic Lodge orchestra.
KDKA, 9:30, Special Late Evening concert.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

WBZ, 10, Day's Events, General Conference, M. E. Church.
KPO, 10 to 12, Program.
KFI, 10 to 11, Ambassador Hotel concert.
WDAP, 10, Chapman's orchestra.
WLW, 10, Times-Star Radio club.
KFSG, 10 to 11, Address.
WCAE, 10, Late concert.
KGO, 10, "Enlarging Life's Territory."
KHJ, 10 to 12, Program of music.
WLW, 10:10, Concert.
WIP, 10:15, Weem's Dance orchestra
WSB, 10:45, City Organist.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight.

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
KFSG, 11 to 12, Vocal and instrumental selections.
WFAA, 11 to 12, Favorite Music concert.
WLW, 11, Dance music.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

When better groceries are sold for less money in Mexia, Tidwell will do it—watch and see.

Rev. E. H. Hudson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, stated today that he does not expect to go to the Assembly which convenes in San Antonio today until about next Monday. His duties with the church here require that he remain over, he feels. Several members will likely go with him to the Assembly city next week. It will close on May the 22nd.

A light lunch may be the result of a blond hair in the butter.

THE KING IS DEAD LONG LIVE THE KING

LONDON, May 15.—Canton officials ridicule reports that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, head of the "South China Republic" is dead, the Hong Kong correspondent of the Central News telegraphed today and attributes the report of his death to the fact he has been incommunicado because of a fortnight's illness.

The Foreign Office in Pekin announced "Sun Yat Sen's death officially yesterday but it never has been confirmed from Canton.

Reports of the death have been circulated for the last three days.

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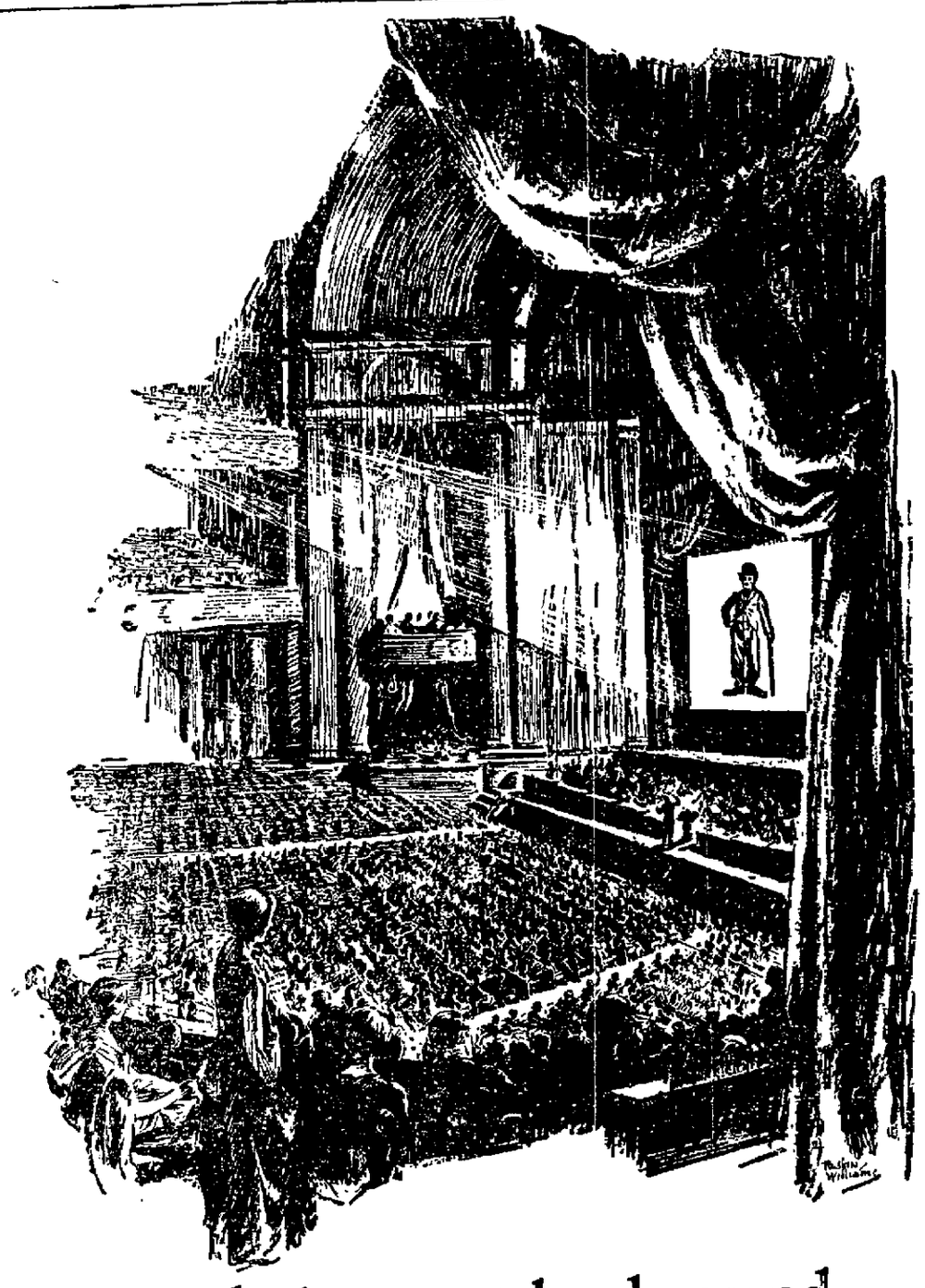

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Negro Ministers Organize Here

Of the eight or nine colored pastors of congregations in the city, six have formed a Ministrial Association which meets every Tuesday at 10 a. m. at one of the churches at which time they make reports of their Sunday's church services and discuss vital subjects for the uplift of their group.

Tuesday morning, the association met with the Launza Chapel M. E. church of which Rev. Summers is pastor. At this meeting, Rev. L. G. Farley, pastor of the Antioch Baptist church, offered a recommendation that each minister of the association urge upon his congregation to continue the sanitation drive that was begun some weeks ago and push same till the colored section was entirely rid of all accumulated rubbish and filth that served as breeding places for the fly, mosquito, and germ-carrying insects. The recommendation was heartily adopted by the associntion.

The organization is planning to invite several of the white pastors of the city to visit their meetings from time to time and address them on some very timely subjects.

OPPORTUNITY FOR OWNERSHIP

Printing was invented in the first half of the fifteenth century. Few books were to be had even after that time, other than in manuscript. Owing to its bulk it was very difficult to secure a copy of the Bible. To own one meant an enormous outlay for that period. So the masses of the people were obliged to rent a manuscript and pay for it by the hour. It is said that a load of hay was the price for rental for one hour a day, and that it was not so easy to get the one hour. People then, as now, were eager to read the Scriptures, but to do so they had to make many sacrifices. Many have paid for it by imprisonment and some with their lives. By contrast, what opportunities we have today. There is no restrictions on reading, the world is full of books, and the very best and greatest of them is within reach of everybody who reads this paper. Whether we approach it devoutly, or whether we desire it as a specimen of the finest literature, almost for the asking we can own one of the best editions of the Bible ever printed for three coupons cut from this paper daily, and a very small sum of money the Big Print Red Letter Bible is yours. See another column for offer.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: BABE ADAMS AND THOMAS L. BLANTON.
Below: MRS MAUD BALLINGTON BOOTH & ALBERT J BEVERIDGE

Ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, mentioned as the Republican Vice-Presidential candidate, is a guest at the White House. Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, Democrat, of Texas, was the target for a chair and a book when he engaged in a fight with Congressman William C. Hammer, Democrat, of North Carolina. Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth, "little mother" of the Volunteers of America, of which her husband is head, went to her Summer home on Fire Island, 60 miles from New York, to write a lecture on prison reform. Receding tides left her boat high on the beach. She set signals of distress, and coast guardsmen, believing they had found a rum runners' nest, burst in on her with drawn pistols. Embarrassed, they took her to the mainland, while her husband was organizing a searching party. "Babe" Adams, for 16 years the pitching ace of the Pittsburgh Pirates, broke down in the middle of a game on Forbes Field, and will never pitch again.

ARCHITECTS TO MEET

WASHINGTON, (United Press.)—Members of Congress, federal administrative officers and leading architects will discuss the public building problems and policies of the United States at the 57th convention of the American Institute of Architects, which, it is announced, will be held here May 21, 22 and 23. Milton B. Medary, Jr., of Philadelphia will preside at the public building session in the afternoon of the opening day. A president to succeed William B. Faville of San Francisco and other officers will be elected.

For Mexia, I WILL.

Parts of Texas Have Political Picnic of Late

DALLAS, Texas, May 14.—While the Democratic Convention may be somewhat overshadowing the Texas gubernatorial race, the candidates for governor have by no means let up in their stumping. With a weather eye on Waco, they have all been giving the eastern portion of the state daily planks from their platforms.

A hitherto stabled horse was shot into the race Saturday at Kerens when Jim Ferguson thundered out in his well known style.. Mr. Ferguson came to Dallas just a few weeks prior to his campaign after chicken feed and stated that he was waiting for his hens to lay before he could open. With his entrance, only two candidates are remaining idle—T. D. Barton and H. L. Darwin.

Lynch Davidson, the Houston candidate, repeatedly pointing out himself as the leading candidate and offering as proof of the fact, that all other candidates in the race have attacked him without mentioning each other, has been in the heart of East Texas. For the past week he has somewhat turned aside from his denunciation of blocs and cliques, and what he terms socialism in the Farm Labor platform, to his plans for reforestation.

W. E. Pope has been hot after him and has challenged him for a debate, the loser to drop out of the race. Lynch has replied in an interview to the effect that he considered the challenge only political trickery toward a feared man.

T. W. Davidson has been joining V. A. Collins in loudly denouncing the Klan and Felix Robertson as its exponent. Collins has been stating that he is connected with no clique or bloc, while Whit Davidson has been turning his fire on Lynch in protection of his Farm Labor Union Platform trusts.

Joe Burkett has been "lone wolfing" it and pointing out Whit as being run by the labor unions, Lynch a "business," and Robertson, a Ku Klux candidate.

"Can't" and "Can" candidates have developed in one instance. Lynch Davidson says he can save the state $10,000,000 biennially and Collins says taxes cannot be reduced.

With the seven almost within hearing distance of each other and appearing in many cities right on each others heels, Southern Texas has been having a political picnic. With the state Democratic nominee for president out of the way Texas is loking forward to a rather warm gubernatorial Fourth of July.

Regular Meeting Knights of Pythias

Travis Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias, will hold its regular weekly meeting tonight and confer the Rank of Page on a class of six. Officers, members and candidates for the rank are requested to be present promptly at 8 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

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J. F. Casey, of Corsicana, was among the vistors to the city Tuesday.

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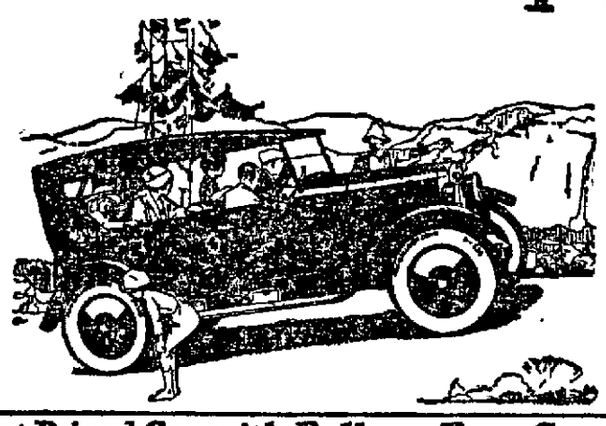

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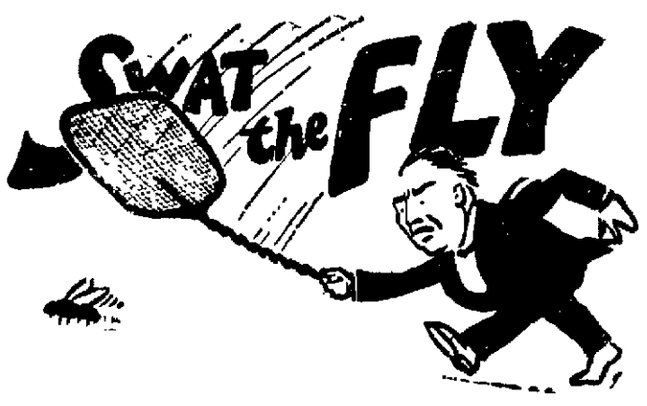

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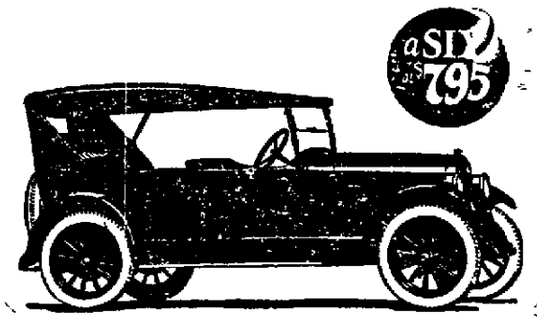

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19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m
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18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
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No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, By making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Limestone if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Judicial District for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, B. D. Flickinger whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Limestone County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No. 4 of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Mexia on the 10th day of June, 1924, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Rogers Mercantile Company in a certain suit therein pending, in which Rogers Mercantile Company is Plaintiff, and B. D. Flickinger is Defendant.

Filed on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1924, and numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 739, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand being in substance as follows: On July 14th, 1923, at the instance and request of Defendant the Plaintiff took defendant's note in the sum of $14.50, due thirty days after date, said note providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Plaintiff says further that he placed the note in the hands of Keys & Mason, attorneys, for collection, agreeing to pay them the ten per cent attorney's fees provided for in the note, the same being reasonable attorney's fees; that the note is now past due and unpaid, and that Defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and still refuses, to pay the same or any part thereof, to Plaintiff's damage in the principal sum of $44.50.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited to appear and answer this suit; that he have judgment in the principal sum of $14.50, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, to which he may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, but have then and there before said Court, at said regular term, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of April, A. D., 1924.

O. KENNEDY,
Justice of the Peace,
Precinct No. 4 Limestone
County, Texas.
(May 1-8-15-22)

For Mexia, I WILL.

CANDIDATES
Announcements
1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 12th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
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Senator Wheeler To Be Freed By His Colleagues

By FRAZER EDWARDS

WASHINGTON, May 14.—"Not guilty" is the verdict that will be returned by committee of his colleagues who "tried" Senator Wheeler, of Montana, on charges of misusing his office, it was learned today.

A report completely exonerating Wheeler was ready for submission to the committee for approval today and will be submitted to the Senate before the end of the week.

Action on the report by the Senate is understood to be unnecessary in the event the charges against Wheeler were found to lack grounds for impeachment.

Sneator Sterling, South Dakota, who assumed the role of "prosecutor" in the investigation is expected to file a minority report. In addition to Chairman Borah, who is drafting the report, Senator McNary, Oregon, Republican, and Senators Swanson, Va., and Caraway, Ark., will sign the majority report, it was said.

After presenting the report Senator Borah intends to deliver a speech and riview the evidence on which Wheeler was indicted by a Montana grand jury.

No date has been set for Wheeler's trial in Montana, but he said today that he would insist upon speedy action on the part of the Department of Justice. He wants an immediate hearing and the indictment against him quashed, he said.

Water Question Discussed At W. Texas C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 15.—Water problems of West Texas were discussed today at a special meeting called by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Recent decisions of courts affecting water rights and irrigation laws were discussed by a selected group of experts.

Stuart L. Williams, president of the Texas conservation association, presided. J. E. Starley, Dallas; J. F. Gaines, San Antonio; Major R. F. Burgess, El Paso and members of the state board of water engineers were among those who attended.

GRATIFICATION OF OWNERS

The appreciation which has been expressed by those who have already secured their Red Letter Edition by the coupon Bible offer, is most gratifying to this paper. It was expected that a desire to acquire such a remarkable volume would be voiced by many, but it was not expected that such an overwhelming number would take advantage of the opportunity so quickly. The concensus of opinion seems to indicate that it was a real inspiration to have Christ's spoken thoughts put in red type, making its identification easy.

The highest praise which has come to the paper for the manner of distributing is most pleasing also. The only regret is that it cannot go on indefinitely. The number of Bibles is decreasing so much more rapidly than was supposed possible that it is feared everybody cannot be supplied. No coupon gift can be recalled that has seemed to fill so great a want. It is therefore urged that those not already possessing this Bible secure the three necessary coupons at once. Today's coupon is elsewhere in the paper, with additional information as to how to obtain this unusual Bible.

Billy Sunday Lives by Faith

CHICAGO.—"The Lord will not forsake me—we have been partners for 38 years," Billy Sunday said here enroute to Rochester Minnesota for treatment for kidney trouble. "Ma" Sunday, Billy's wife, accompanied him.

Scholarship Fund to Be Established

AUSTIN, Texas.—A $5,000 scholarship fund for journalism students at the University of Texas will be established by the Texas Women's Press Association, it was decided at the annual convention here. Half of the fund has already been raised.

Dry Officer Charged with Graft

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Arthur L. Curran, director here of federal prohibition and six agents under his command were indicted by a federal grand jury. Indictments followed investigation of alleged graft in enforcing the liquor laws.

San Angelo Man Heads W. T. C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas.—Col. C. C. Walsh, San Angelo, was elected president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in annual convention here. El Paso, Mineral Wells, and Amarillo are seeking the 1925 convention.

Texas University Presidency Considered

AUSTIN, Texas.—The University Board of Regents met here Thursday to consider appointment of a new president of the state institution. Gov. Neff yesterday appointed W. S. Whaley, Cleburne, a member of the board.

Two Fugitives Still on Run

McALESTER, Okla.—Two of the nine prisoners who escaped from the state penitentiary here are still at large. Seven of the fugitives were captured by a posse of citizens and sheriffs.

N. Y. Cabarets Ordered Padlocked

NEW YORK.—Nine cabarets, including many of New York's most prominent night resorts, have been ordered padlocked for a year by federal authorities. The cafes were claimed to have violated liquor laws. They are the Plantation, Palais Royale, Moulin Rouge, Four Hundred Club, Mont Matre, Club Royale, Bal Moral Club, Club Gallant, and Barn Club.

American Girl Weds Swiss Official

WASHINGTON.—Mary Wallace, daughter of the secretary of agriculture, was married here to Dr. Charles Burgmann, of the Swiss legation. President and Mrs. Coolidge were among the distinguished guests at the wedding.

Wants $20,000 For Damaged Character

HOUSTON, Texas, May 15.—Because he is employed by a railroad and because handbills were scattered about alleging that he had used a "free pass" for political purposes, B. P. Panas, defeated candidate for mayor of Park Place, has brought suit against certain voters for $20,000.

Panas alleges that his character and reputation were damaged to the extent of the $20,000 because the handbills implied he had used a "pass" in violation of the Texas criminal law in going to Austin to consult the attorney general regarding contemplated improvements for Park Place.

Agricultural experts at a Pennsylvania college have developed a new variety of wheat that produces five more bushels to the care in that state than any other standard varities planted there.

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There is an herb balm called Hobo Kidney and Bladder Remedy famous through the Southwest for its healing properties—it is made from an herb plant that grows in parts of East Texas and Louisiana. It contains no alcohol, opiates, or habit forming drugs, but does carry a powerful purifying property that has been used for years in the treatment of serious organic ailments.

It gives relief when other remedies fail. A treatment of six bottles costs $6.00 and is guaranteed to give satisfaction even in the most serious cases. If your druggist does not have it write Hobo Medicine Company, Beaumont, Texas.—(Adv.)

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS SPOTLIGHT.

Above: PRESIDENT WOJCIECHOWSKI & GEORGE B. SHAW
Below: ANGELO MILTON ELLISON & SAMUEL GOMPERS

The Polish Cabinet, meeting in Warsaw, is considering measure to limit the freedom of speech of President Wojciechowski, who recently made speeches in Posen that were interpreted as recommending an imperialistic policy. When Samuel Gompers, veteran president of the American Federation of Labor, attempted to address the convention of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union in Boston hecklers broke up the meeting in disorder. George Bernard Shaw, addressing a Norwich, Eng., meeting of labor men, said he was an original Communist, who wished only a nice flat in the fashionable West End of London, a nice country estate, $10,000 pocket money and a couple of motor cars and he would be contented. Angelo Milton Ellison, Greek protege of the late Edward F. Searles, aged Methuen, Mass., millionaire recluse, has sued in New York City courts for the $20,000,000 left by Searles to his secretary, Arthur T. Walker. Ellison declares he was promised by Searles that he would receive the estate, but that he got only $10,000. Sensational developments are promised.

New Treatment For Varicose Veins And Ulcers

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to get a two-ounce, original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength), at any pharmacist and start to reduce the veins and bunches at once.

Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated and a little goes a long way. Apply night and morning with a soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal.

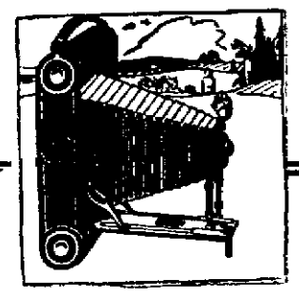
So marvelously powreful is Emerald Oil that swollen glands and even goitre disappear when used steadily. —(Adv.)

E. A. Knowles was here Tuesday from Waco.

The only favor we ask—compare our prices with any other. TIDWELL'S.

Engineers are planning to obtain an immense amount of electric power by utilizing steam which continually issues from a volcano in a chain of mountains between Chile and Bolivia.

Invented by a New Mexico man a display stand for fruits and vegetables consists of a basket lined with burlap saturated with an antiseptic solution, the evaporation of which cools the contents.



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Cotton Mill Plans Are Materializing Satisfactorily

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE VETOES BONUS BILL

Murderer of The Texas Actress May Be Caught Soon

Pieces of Cord May Send Men To The Chair

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, May 15.—Similarity between some bits of cord may send Harry Lesser to the electric chair.

The smooth young English thug, whose face is warped and crooked as his soul but whose outward manner has the Broadway polish, used cord to strangle some of his victims. Other times, they were merely bound.

When he slipped a noose about the jewel-laden throat of Mrs. Howard Johnson, wife of the composer and stripped her of gems, he made the inevitable mistake and overlooked something. By such a little thing as an empty medicine bottle, neglected on a bath room shelf, Lesser was traced and caught within 24 hours after his victim was found, half strangled, the familiar cord nearly buried in the white flesh of her neck.

In such a way, Louise Lawson died. The little Texas musician, whose short mad whirl on Broadway still is a by-word of that blase street was strangled to death by one of two men who stole the jewels from her uptown apartment not far from the hotel in which Mrs. Johnson was robbed.

Belief exists that this smug Englishman of half a dozen aliases may indeed be leader of a gang of jewel robbers, whose methods of putting their women victims beyond speech, (often, quite carelessly, beyond life) revert back to the strangulation by cord practiced by the thugs of India.

Already the police have found that the cord which nearly cost Mrs. Johnson her life was similar to that which bound the hands and feet of Herbert Bartlett, silk merchant, robbed by a gang three weeks ago and to that used in a robbery of the apartment of Mrs. Mildred Ford who already has identified Lesser as her assailant.

PRESIDENT CAN NOT EXTEND CLEMENCY

CHICAGO, May 15.—President Coolidge is not empowered to extend clemency to persons imprisoned for contempt of court, Federal Judges Carpenter and Wilkerson declared today in reversing the president's pardon of Phillip Grossman, Chicago saloonkeeper. Grossman was sentenced to a year in jail in February, 1921 by Former Federal Judge Landis on a charge of contempt of court for violating an injunction to close his saloon Several months ago he was pardoned by President Coolidge and it developed then that he had never served any of his jail sentence.

Sock The Cigaret Says Old College

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., May 15.—Smith College, exclusive college for girls, is out to sock the cigaret and three young women already have paid the price for indulgence of the habit.

President William Allen Nielsen made known the expulsion of three seniors—whose names were not given out—in a brief statement in which he said the action had been taken with full approval of the student governing body. The girls will be allowed to apply for reinstatement at the beginning of the spring term next year if they will promise not to use tobacco while in school. They were caught smoking in a tea room near the college campus, in company with several young men.

James Blair Harris of Dallas has been in the city since Wednesday.

KAREM SHRINERS TAKE OVER CITY

Headed by the band and patrol of Karem Temple about two hundred Shriners from Waco are in Mexia tonight to visit the Shrine Circus being given by the Mexia Shrine Club.

A concert will be given by the band in front of the circus tent tonight at 7:15 and as the Karem Shrine band is one of the largest of its kind in the South it is expected that every citizen in Mexia will be down for this concert. The director promises a concert that will be a treat to all music lovers, consisting of both the classic and popular numbers.

The officers of the Mexia Shrine Club are well pleased with the attendance to date and they are looking forward to tonight being one of the largest nights of the circus, however, tomorrow night is Corsicana night, when the Corsicana Shrine Club will visit the circus in a body.

The officers of the Shrine club have expressed their appreciation in numerous ways for the publicity that has been given them by the Mexia News and the Mexia News in turn wants to assure them that they are behind the Mexia Shrine club and intend further to give them all the publicity possible.

Will Congress Pass Measure Over Veto Now Up

WASHINGTON, May 15.—President Calvin Coolidge, today vetoed the soldier bonus insurance bill on the ground that the measure would prove too great a drain on the finances of the nation.

In a long veto message to Congress, the President once more stressed the need of governmental economy.

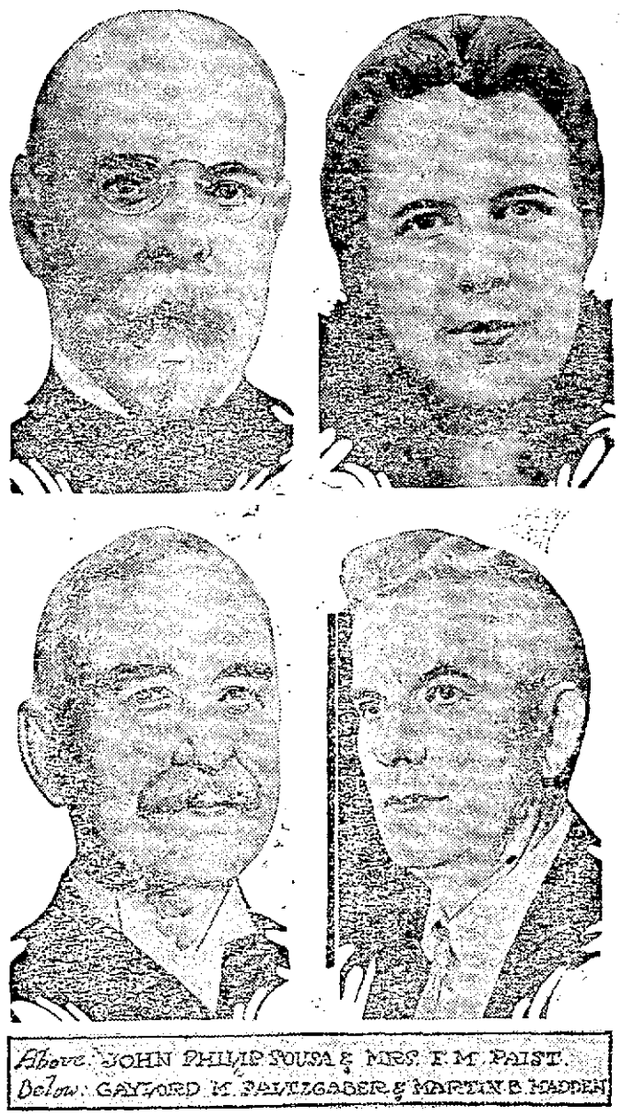
The President has been working for several days on this message, realizing apparently its political import as far as his own presidential aspirations are concerned. He takes the position, in his message, that the United States cannot pay the bill as propose din the vetoed bill. Had he waited until Friday night to have submitted his report against the bonus, it would automatically have become a law at that time.

The next question is will congress repass the bill over the president's veto? Will he lose this fight as he lost the fight against Japanese exclusion?

New Immigration Law.

By a vote of 208 to 58 the House today approved the immigration bill conference report, making Japanese exclusion effective July 1 and restricting general immigration to approximately 150,000. The Senate is expected to approve the bill tomorrow.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: JOHN PHILIP SOUSA & MRS. F. M. PAIST.
Below: GAYLORD M. SALTZGABER & MARTIN B. MADDEN

Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has attacked President Coolidge for vetoing the Bursum bill, increasing Civil War pensions. Mrs. Frederick M. Paist, of Wayne, Pa., has been elected national president of the Y. W. C. A. for the third time, the first president to be re-elected. She became interested in the work while a student at Leland Stanford University, in California, of which her brother, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, is president. Another brother is Naval Secretary Curtis D. Wilbur. Congressman Martin B. Madden, of Illinois, denies public charges that he sought to pack the House Military Affairs Committee so it would give Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford. John Philip Sousa, march king, told a House committee that prohibition has destroyed the light opera industry, which he declares requires drinking songs of the rollicking kind, and "we can't write them any more as apparently the inspiration is lacking."

Z. Rochelle has returned from Dallas where he attended an insurance meeting last week. He states that there is now a contest on between insurance salesmen in the cities and the agents in the smaller places. The contest is stimulating business extensively, according to reports already made.

Mrs. Leila Easterling of Teague was in the city this morning having her eyes seen after.

Stockholders Are Urged To Send In Their Second Payment on Subscriptions

Very satisfactory progress is being made in the furtherance of plans looking forward to the beginning at an early date of the construction of the Mexia Cotton Mills, according to a statement made today by J. K. Hughes, President of the Board of Directors.

The Secretary-Treasurer, J. Sanford Smith, has sent out a letter to all stock subscribers advising them

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SUNDAY AND 'MA' REACH FAMOUS ROCHESTER HOSPITAL

ROCHESTER, Minn., May 15.—Billy Sunday and "Ma" arrived from Memphis in a special car early today. They were taken direct to the Kahler hotel by Dr. W. J. Mayo, a close friend of the famous evangelist. Mr. Sunday is suffering from kidney trouble. Mrs. Sunday, injured in an auto accident recently, was take from the car on a stretcher.

Coolidge Defeated In Fight Measure To Exclude Japs

WASHINGTON, May 15.—President Coolidge has accepted defeat of his efforts to modify the Japanese exclusion clause in the new immigration bill by negotiations with congressional leaders, and veto of the whole measure is seriously considered, it was indicated at the White House today. The conference report on the bill is scheduled to come up in the House today.

Waco Is Coming For Circus And To Help Mexia

Waco Night at the Mexia Shrine Circus, and that's tonight, promises to be the biggest event so far characterizing the big show and exhibit here this week. The tent was filled with several thousand people Wednesday night and this attendance bids fair to be exceeded tonight.

The Karem Temple Shrine band will be here from Waco by seven o'clock, with at least 100 other Nobles from Karemland.

The work of the drill team, which won National recognition last year, will be a feature on the streets at 7:00 o'clock this evening, which is free to the public and which will likely attract the greatest throng of the week.

In the big tent tonight, the Karem band and the Mexia Elks band will combine, forming an organization of more than fifty musical instruments.

MOODY DRILLING NEAR WOODBINE DEPTHS NOW

The Moody test is now drilling around 3090 feet. The altitude is about 55 feet above the Mexia field, which would make the depth, on a comparative basis, approximately 3055 feet. It is making from six to ten feet daily at present. If oil is encountered, it is believed by oil men generally that it should be determined within the next forty or fifty feet at least. Some trading is going on near the lease.

The Mexia Lions club will hold its regular weekly meeting Friday of this week. A full attendance is urged, as a very important session is to be held. The luncheon will be served at the Majestic Cafe in the Hurdleston hotel building.

SUSQUEHANA OUT OF ITS BANKS DOING HEAVY DAMAGE

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 15.—The Susquehana River went out of its banks early today, flooding sections of the new $500,000 "Kirby Park" and lowlands along the West Side.

Reports from up the river this morning indicate that a large volume of water is on its way down The creeks and tributaries are swollen by the recent rains and it is believed the river will reach flood stage here.

CHINAMAN KILLS SELF AT BIG METHODIST MEETING

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Roger Rahn, 28, a Chinese delegate to the Methodist Episcopal General Conference, committeed suicide today by drinking cyanide potasium in a hotel room.

Committeemen Favor Clearing Representative

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The House committee investigating charges against congressmen today recommended to the House that Representative Sihleman of Maryland be considered cleared of charges against him and that further consideration of the case against Representative Langley of Kentucky be deferred pending the result of his appeal from conviction at Covington, Ky., for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

DEVELOPING COMPANY HAS THREE PRODUCERS IN THE LULING POOL

The J. K. Hughes Developing Company now has three good producers in the Luling Oil Field, with a fourth to start drilling in today. It should be completed by Saturday and gives promise of being equal to the largest of the first three wells, which came in for a flush production around 2,000 barrels.

TO HER THAT HATH NOT SHALL BE TAKEN THAT WHICH SHE HATH

VERSAILLES, France, May 15.—The court today rejected Edith Kelly Gould's claim to half of the $40,000,000 fortune of Frank Gould her former husband. Edith must pay the costs of the trial.

The Nowlin Post of the American Legion held a meeting at Post headquarters Tuesday night. Some very important matters came before the body for consideration.

Negro Who Killed Man 42 Years Ago Receives Long Term in Prison

QUITMAN, Ga., May 15.—Gene Foster, 82 year old negro, today began a sentence of 99 years in jail, imposed last night by a jury here when he was convicted of a murder committed 42 years ago.

Foster was convicted of murdering R. W. Wilkerson, widely known farmer of this section with an axe in 1882.

Immediately after the murder Foster disappeared and all trace of him was lost until a few days ago when he was found in Florida. Protesting it was a case of mistaken identity, Foster was brought back here for trial.

Several of the State's witnesses had died, but enough remained to convince the jury they were trying the right man.

Fundamentalist And Modernist Question Is Up

ATLANTA, Ga., May 15.—A resolution which will bring into the open the fundamentalists-modernist dispute was introduced in the Southern Baptist convention today by Dr. C. P. Stealey, editor of the Baptist Messenger, Oklahoma City.

The resolution proposed that "trustees, officers and members of faculties of institutions owned, fostered or supported by the Southern Baptist convention be required to sign a statement of belief, conforming to eight points of the fundamentalist doctrines. The resolution would require an absolute acceptance of the basic and literal meaning of the scriptures. These eight points include the inspiration of the Bible, the Unity and Equality of the three persons of the Godhead, the literal acceptance of the Creation story as accounted in the Book of Genesis, the virgin birth of Christ, the atonement of sin only through belief in Christ, the new creation or rebirth in Christ, the actual bodily resurrection and return of Christ from the grave and the spiritual conception of the worldly church. The resolution was referred to the committee on resolutions, postponing discussion.

L. J. Gartman, of Goldthwaite, was in the city Tuesday.

Wife Found Who Ran Away With Family Purse

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 15.—After searching six months for his wife who mysteriously disappeared with a large sum of money, Guadalupe Luna has been informed that Mrs. Luna is in Houston, where she has established a confectionery business. Mr. Luna left at once for that city.

Police were asked to assist in the search for the woman, which carried her husband to the West coast and to Mexico.

Country Club Organizes Permanently At Meeting In Elk's Home Wednesday; Ben Howard, President; Gibson, Sec.

Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock about fifty members of the Mexia Country Club met at the Elks Home for the purpose of completing the organization and perfecting plans leading to an application for a charter. It was found that a quorum was present, following a roll call of the 93 members who have signed the list and complied with the rules as to payment for stock subscriptions declared due.

Ben Howard called to the meeting to order and declared the gathering ready for business. The first business he called to the attention of the club was to elect a temporary president and secretary and then to proceed to a permanent organization basis.

By general approval, he was urged to go ahead and preside, which he did. Hamp Gibson was elected temporary Secretary.

J. Nussbaum moved that a directory of seven members, including the president be elected by the club. This motion carried.

J. K. Hughes offered a motion that the chair appoint three of those present to retire to an adjoining room and

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TEXAS TABS

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, May 15.—C. C. Barley, 37, was seriously injured when his automobile was struck by a Wichita Valley passenger train at a grade crossing near here.

DENTON, Texas, May 15.—Billboards have been removed from Denton county highways by order of the Commissioners' court.

GRANGER, Texas, May 15.—Voters favored a $135,000 school bond issue by a narrow margin in Wednesday's special election here.

DALLAS, Texas, May 15.—Texas contractors met here today in annual convention. Problems of ethics and education were discussed. The meeting adjourns tonight with a banquet.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight, fair, except showers on west coast. Friday fair.

West Texas—Tonight fair, probably frost in Panhandle. Friday fair.

McFALL WILDCAT IS DRILLING BELOW 3700

Drilling is now progressing day and night on the McFall wildcat test, four miles Northeast of Mexia. The derrick is noted lighted at night as the drill progrsses below 3700 feet. It is said that the formation now entered is the best looking of any yet encountered.

CONTRACT FOR DEEP TESTS

MARLIN, Texas, May 15.—A contract has been closed between H. A. Myrin and land owners just west of the Brazos River in the Deer Creek area for two deep tests for oil and gas. Drilling on the first well, which will go to a depth of not less than 2,000 feet, will be started immediately.

It is learned that the date for Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, candidate for Governor, to speak in Mexia has been changed to the night of May the 23rd. Crowds are expected to be here from all parts of Limestone county and all adjoining counties.

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MANY CITIES CONSIDER PUBLIC PARKS

Cities all over the state are now considering the question of public parks. They know their value in promoting the happiness and well being of a prosperous and growing community.

The entire state is talking of the decision of Houstonians to invest more than a half a million dollars in another park.

A meeting was held last week over in Bosque county when thousands of people assembled for the consideration of a public park in that part of the state.

Mexiaites generally have indorsed the acceptance by the city of the Hughes Park and have commended J. K. Hughes for his wisdom and loyalty to the Mexia of the future as well as that of the present when he made the fine gift of twelve acres in the heart of Mexia to Mexia for park purposes. By beginning now to develop the plot, property values in that part of the city in which the acreage is located will be greatly enhanced and actual money benefits are sure to accrue from the fullest development of the pleasure and recreational center.

Parks represent civic attractions and this one, fully utilized, will prove an important factor in drawing to Mexia the best grades of substantial citizenship.

What is needed now is immediate action, by which this piece of ground may become an asset rather than a liability which it will surely become if unattended and not utilized.

The negroes in the West part of town who patronize the school in that part of the city are the only ones in Mexia who have adopted a name for their school home. It is called the Dunbar School, in memory of a beloved friend of their race.

WHAT IS MEXIA'S GREATEST NEED?

Many citizens are often heard to offer editorial suggestions for the home newspaper. They ask that space be given to a discussion of the various problems, as they see them, confronting the city, naming what they deem most important. This help is always duly appreciated and if there is a civic subject on record which The News has not discussed in its editorial columns, it is not known at this time. In order to make the editorial page more helpful to Mexia, every citizen is urged to contribute open letters to be published under the column "From the People." This will be a real service and one that will be appreciated both by The News and by the public at large. Since a broadside invitation such as this is seldom accepted, The News is going to make the request more personal by a direct appeal to certain citizens to discuss what is on their hearts under the caption, "Mexia's Greatest Need Today." But all are invited to contribute to the column.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

A HALF-MILLION-DOLLAR PARK FOR HOUSTON

(From the Dallas News)

We have been thinking up here in Dallas that we had a pretty fair collection of parks. For distribution and availability, Dallas parks do measure up in a creditable fashion. But when it comes to going for parks on a really big scale, Dallas can't hold a candle to Houston. Houston has just arranged to purchase a 1503-acre park at a price of $532,057. It is said by Houston newspapers to be the sixth largest single city park in the United States. In one jump Houston goes ahead of San Antonio, Waco and Dallas, as well as other cities of Texas.

It is a magnificent project that the citizens of Houston have in mind, and one that will enhance the attractiveness of the inland port of the gulf. We may be sure that the benefits of it will by no means be localized, for it takes an outstanding example of this sort to stir useful and fruitful emulation. A half million dollars to bring the joys of the open to cooped-up city folks can be taken as evidence enough that Houston residents understand the measure of social values. People, and not property, are the most precious good of any community, and that city which cares most for its people will be held highest in the thoughts of its own.

Houston did well to acquire this land now, instead of waiting until its acquisition would amount to a heroic challenge of difficulties in the way. By beginning early in its policy of generously providing ample park accommodations, the city makes sure that it will be a good place to live in as well as one in which to make a living. In establishing a parity between those two distinct opportunities which every home-lover seeks, Houston makes a strong bid for the best grade of substantial citizenship. Houston has made wonderful strides of late, but in nothing has its vision and its wisdom been more strikingly evidenced than in this undertaking.

Old Settlers Picnic May 20

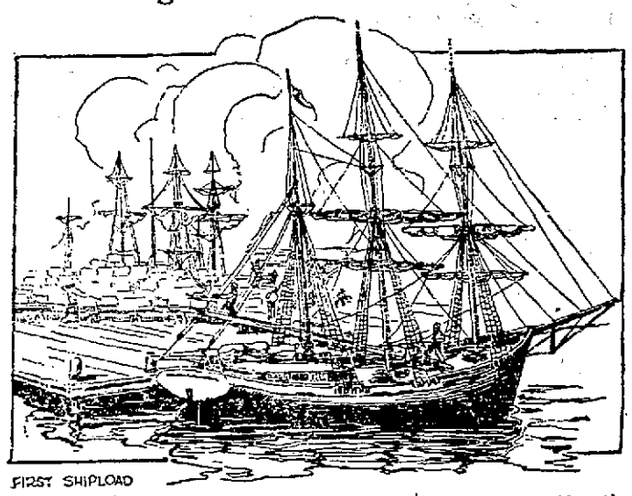
The Old Settlers Picnic, which is an annual event, will be held this year at Old Springfield, next Tuesday, May 20. The public generally is invited to come and bring something good to eat and enjoy the day with the old timers of this section.

Don't forget the date, Tuesday, May 20, and the place, Old Springfield.

To replace the barber's hot towel used after shaving an inventor has patented an absorbent device that fits the lower part of a man's face and retains the heat and moisture longer.

Our spring cleaning and painting has just been finished. Everything spick and span—come see a clean grocery. TIDWELL'S.

Ice Industry Rises to Ninth Place Through Year-Round Public Service



FIRST SHIPLOAD

The ice industry has risen to ninth place among American commercial enterprises in point of financial investment, according to a nation-wide survey just announced by the National Association of Ice Industries. Returns from the comprehensive survey, it was stated, show that over $700,000,000 is now invested in the industry.

"In 1805 the first commercial shipload of natural ice was sent from America by Frederick Tudor, Boston, to Martinique in the West Indies to combat yellow fever," says the survey.

"America's first successful ice plant was built at San Antonio, Texas, in 1865. There are now approximately 5,000 plants making and harvesting ice for commercial purposes. They produce more than 40,000,000 tons annually. Of this total 25,000,000 tons are sold to the public.

"Nearly three quarters of a billion dollars today represents the investment in the production of ice, and the number of persons engaged in production and distribution totals approximately 175,000, in addition to the 5,000 dealers.

"This tremendous growth is remarkable in view of the uncertainties of demand that prevail every year, the inevitable rush seasons and the factor of weather which is of such vital importance both in production of natural ice and in demand and distribution. A big factor in this growth has also been the awakening of the housewife to the fact that ice should be used during all of the year. This latter development has been due to the educational work of the industry itself."

STOCKHOLDERS ARE URGED TO SEND IN THEIR SECOND PAYMENT ON SUBSCRIPTION

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that the second installment is due and urging them to make prompt payment in order that no unnecessary delay may be experienced when the building plans are completed.

The letter is as follows:

The second installment on your Cotton Mill subscription is now due and prompt payment of same at this time will be appreciated.

Your directors are pleased to announce that very satisfactory arrangements are under way whereby we expect to have associated with us one of the most successful and substantial cotton mill operators in the State.

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In order that we shall have as little delay as possible in getting our construction under way, we will thank you to give your installment payments prompt attention.

Make your checks payable to the "Mexia Cotton Mills" and mail direct to the Secretary & Treasurer.

Yours very truly,
J. SANFORD SMITH,
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Mexia Country Club Organizes Permanently at Meeting in Elks Home Wed.

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select the seven proposed directors. This motion also carried and the chair appointed for this purpose, J. K. Hughes, A. H. Eubanks and Mayor E. Watson.

These promptly retired and brought in the following nominations for directors: R. B. Bass, John Sweatt, Sam Cox, J. K. Hughes, Julius Nussbaum, Ben Howard and J. Sandford Smith.

This proposed board was sanctioned by a unanimous vote, following which they retired and selected from their number, Ben Howard to serve the first year as president. They also elected Hamp Gibson to serve as secretary.

While considering business before the organization the directors also selected a committee of three to complete the golf course and to attend to further duties incident to the development of the property, south of town, and to secure plans for a proposed club house. These three selected were Sam Cox, Roy Bass and Ben Howard.

It was unanimously decided that the name of the organization should be the Mexia Country Club and the board of directors was instructed to take such steps immediately necessary to amend the old charter of the Mexia Fishing and Gun Club so that the name might be so changed and the capital stock increased to $50,000.

Upon a motion being made by A. T. Schulz, which carried, all power was vested in the directors to proceed with the business of the club, until the amended charter could be secured and a constitution and by laws adopted by the entire membership.

Hamp Gibson offered a motion that the Board of Directors take such steps as necessary to procure the charter, the capital stock to be $50,000, the par value of stock being $500.

This motion prevailed.

After some discussion preceding this motion, it was decided to limit the membership to 100.

With 93 members already signed up, only seven more members may be added.

Many of the subjects that will be taken up in the by laws of the club were discussed. It was decided that the dues be $5 per month. Charles E. Boberg offered a motion, which carried that the dues be $5 per month, payable quarterly.

In view of half of the capital stock having to be paid in before a charter could be secured, two payments on stock subscriptions are now due, also dues for the month of May. On the first of June $10 will be paid on dues and after that the payment will be quarterly, according to the motion that carried.

It was explained that many of the matters of interest to the club would be taken up in the Constitution and by laws. These are to be presented to the membership for consideration before adoption, following the receipt of the amended charter.

CAR THIEVES WORKING IN THE POWELL FIELD

A Dodge Brothers roadster, belonging to the J. K. Hughes Developing Company, was stolen last night from the Alexander lease at Powell. G. M. Ball, lease superintendent there, has notified the officers in this and all adjoining counties in an effort to apprehend the thieves. The car was fitted up with all accessories, including a new tire which was just purchased Wednesday. A reward of $25 is being offered to anyone giving information that will lead to the return of the car.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Here is the program for today and tomorrow of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church which convenes in San Antonio today:

Thursday, May 15.

Assembly meets 11 a. m. Sermon by Dr. Alexander Sprunt, retiring moderator. Celebration of the Lord's Supper following the sermon. At 2:30 p. m. the enrollment of commissioners will be announced and a moderator and clerks will be elected. Reports of the Executive Committees of Foreign Missions and Home Missions will be submitted.

Friday, May 16.

Announcement of Standing Committees. Reading and referring of Overtures. Reports from Executive Committees, Woman's Auxiliary and Stewardship Committee. Popular meeting in the evening in interest of Publication and Sabbath School work.

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Texarkana Lady Speaks of Mexia As She Saw It

The office of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of the following letter:

Texarkana, Texas, May 12, 1924.
Mr. Ben F. Stollenwerck, Sec'y.,
Chamber of Commerce,
Mexia, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of 26th ultimo received. I note your question regarding suggestions for constructive work in Mexia.

Permit me first to express my appreciation of some excellent things you have already accomplished. Your Library building and grounds, your high school and fine churches are unusual for a place the size of Mexia and that your citizenship is progressive was very evidently shown by the wholehearted cordiality extended to our convention.

Now I shall feel very free to refer to some things, that impressed me unfavorably. I might say that for twenty years I have been interested in and studying civic problems. The physical appearance, governmental or political side and the social side also the commercial progress.

Mexia needs unbroken pavement, those unpaved parts of the streets are very unsatisfactory for looks as well as utility.

The Post Office should be better. Indeed, there is much opportunity for cleaning up and improving the general appearance of your business district. I do not believe that there need be a bad looking place in a moderate sized community. The problem in its final analysis rests with the individual citizenship and if every resident (owner or renter of property) keeps their individual place up as well as it can be kept the appearance of your town is solved.

Now every village, town or city should have a comprehensive plan, so each succeeding council can work toward some end.

The depot ground should be attractive.

The streets paved, good sidewalks, trees planted, uniform in kind and location.

Good lighting system; alleys kept as clean as the streets.

Cemeteries kept up; all public building grounds artistically planted by a landscape artist.

Private grounds also laid out and planted to insure comfort and beauty. Window boxes and porch boxes can be used to a good advantage.

There should be ample space set aside for park and play grounds.

Every town should have a good sized auditorium that would seat all the citizenship that would come out to municipal attractions or meetings of general interest.

I could give you many more suggestions but will say in conclusion that I have resigned as President of the Texarkana Women's Club and expect to give my services to the State where ever they may be in demand.

I leave tomorrow night for a short stay in Kansas. This is a personal visit, then come back home and go with my husband to a Knights Templar State Convention at Newport, Arkansas. I come home and go as a delegate from Bowie County, Texas, to a Democratic State Convention in Waco, May 27th and on the 29th join Club women at Fort Worth to go to Los Angeles to the G. F. W. C. June 2nd to 13th. That is the delegated meeting of our 2,700,000 club women that meets biannually.

I have studied civic problems and traveled about over the East, West Middle West, North and South as far as New Orleans and I believe I can be of help to any community that wants help and consequently this fall I will accept as many invitations as my time will permit and the only expense will be my entertainment while I am in the community I am serving.

It is desirable to hold conferences with groups and also have a mass meeting, the great thing is to get public sentiment aroused.

Now I have perhaps gone into a more extended discussion of this problem than you anticipated but I presume some to whom you have addressed letters will not answer at all.

If you would like to have me come to Mexia just let me know.

Civic beauty is a big asset to a community.

Yours cordially,
MRS. DAY MILLS.

Galveston Entertains Conventions Month of May

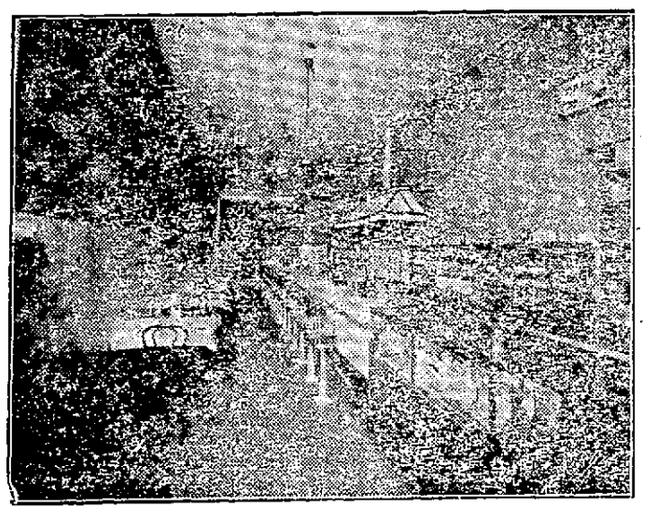
GALVESTON, Texas, May 15.—Four annual conventions, bringing a total of 700 delegates, is the entertainment calendar for Galveston during May, according to I. D. McMaster, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

The city's first convention guests for the month, the Catholic Alumnae, opened the first day of their two-day session yesterday and closes today; the Texas Tent and Awning Makers' convention will be held May 18-19; the Texas Music Dealers' Association will convene May 22-23, and the Gulf Coast Association of Odd Fellows and Rebeccas will hold a three-day convention beginning May 28. Fully 300 delegates are expected to attend the latter event.

The biggest event of the month for Galveston, however, will be the fifth annual bathing girl revue, to be held May 17-18-19. This year's revue is expected to draw the largest crowds of any single event in South Texas for the three days.

E. D. Dechert was here from Waco Wednesday.

Acrobats at the Shrine Circus here this week.



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Texas Electricians Form Asociation

DALLAS, Texas, May 15.—A permanent organization of Texas electricians was formed here recently at a meeting of leading electrical contractors and dealers.

The new organization will be known as Texas Association of Electricians.

T. L. Farmers, Dallas, was elected first president of the association. Walter C. Graham, San Antonio, was made vice-president, and Charles W. Graham, Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

The following were made members of the executive committee; Rap Prather, Beaumont; E. M. Dupee, Houston; H. E. Jacks, Ft. Worth; J. O. Anchewartha, Austin, and W. G. Sturdivant, Brownwood.

Mrs. J. T. Bounds of Tehuacana was in the city this week having her eyes seen after by a local eyesight specialist.

Miss Iona Mills of Tehuacana was in Mexia this week and consulted a local optometrist about her eyes.

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Mrs. H. F. Capshaw left Wednesday for Dallas where she will make her future home.

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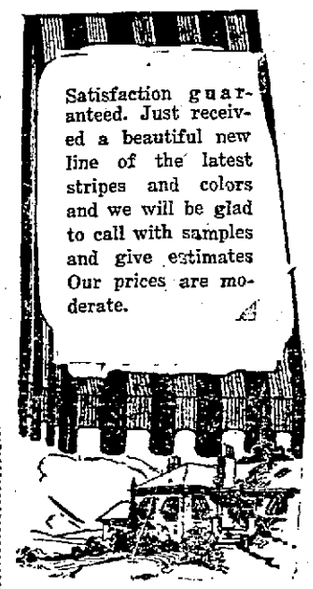

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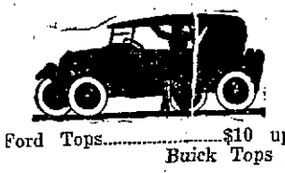

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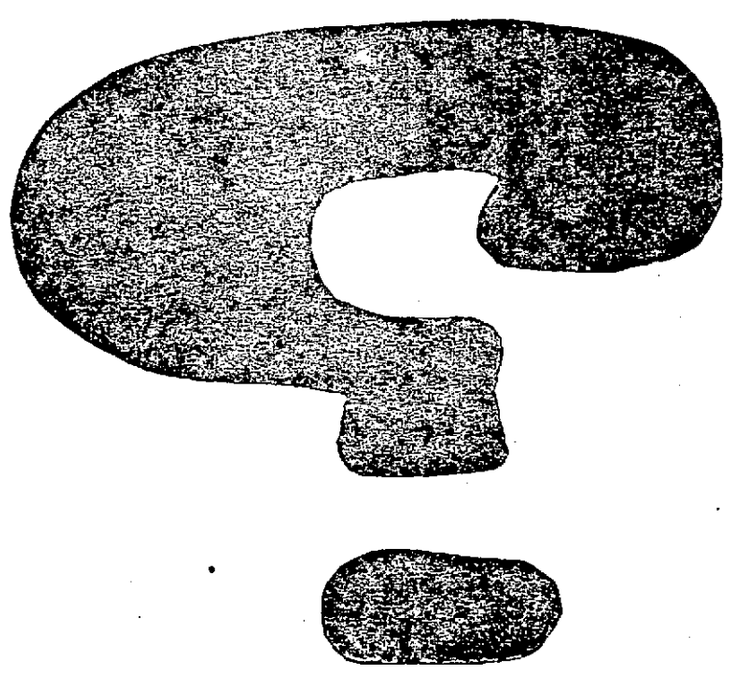

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TWO BIG ROUNDS WIN FOR WACO INDIANS

WACO, Texas, May 15.—Green and Sanders both allowed nine hits, but the Indians, by timely hitting and scoring three runs in the second and seventh frames, defeated Mexia, 7 to 2. Lewis hit a homer and Fowlkes two doubles.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly, l f	3	2	1	2	0	0
Strickland 2 b	4	1	1	2	4	0
Lewis s s	4	1	1	2	3	0
Hall r f	3	0	1	4	0	0
Province c f	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shires 1 b	3	1	2	9	0	0
McBride 3 b	2	1	0	2	3	0
Humphreys c	4	0	1	3	1	0
Green p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Total	30	7	9	27	12	1

Mexia—						
Geppert s s	4	1	2	1	2	0
Fowlkes 1 b	4	0	2	12	0	1
Butler l f	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bryan c f	3	0	0	3	0	0
McDowell r f	4	0	2	2	1	0
Jones 3 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Leedy 2 b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Scheiffer c	3	1	2	1	0	0
Sanders p	4	0	0	0	8	0
Total	33	2	9	24	19	1

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Waco .....030 010 30*—7

Home run—Lewis. Two-base hits—Shires, Fowlkes 2, Hall, Schieffer. Strike out—Sanders 1. Bases on balls—Off Sanders 6.

BATHERS POUND FLAHARTY SMITH HURLS CLASSY BALL

MARLIN, Texas, May 15.—The Bathers knocked Flaharty out in the sixth and defeated the Austin Rangers 5 to 1, here Wednesday.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	5	0	0	1	0	0
Alexander 2 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Greer l f	3	0	0	1	0	0
F. Pipkin 1 b	5	1	2	13	2	0
Munson r f	5	2	3	2	0	0
Rawlins s s	2	1	1	2	2	1
White 3 b	2	0	1	0	3	0
Covington c	3	1	2	8	2	0
Smith p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Total	30	5	11	27	10	1

Austin—						
Griggs c f	4	0	0	1	0	0
R. Pipkin s s	4	0	0	1	4	1
Chaney 2 b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Clements 3 b	2	0	1	2	3	0
Anheir 1 b	2	0	0	15	1	0
Bedford l f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Henderson c	4	0	0	2	2	0
Courtney r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Flaharty p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Cole p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Total	28	1	3	24	17	1

Marlin .....000 004 10*—5
Austin .....100 000 000—1

Home runs—Rawlins, Chaney. Two-base hit—Munson. Losing pitcher—Flaharty. Struck out—By Smith 6, Flaharty 1. Bases on balls—Off Smith 4, Flaharty 3, Cole 3.

GOOSE CREEK PULLS OFF TRADE WEEK

GOOSE CREEK, Texas, May 15.—Goose Creek's Chamber of Commerce will advertise their city to the surrounding towns and communities with a trade week, to be inaugurated June 23 and lasting until June 28.

Preceding trade week, on June 8, a trade excursion will be made into Goose Creek's trade territory and will indlude the towns of Crosby, Lynchburg, Elena, Cedar Bayou, Barber's Hill and Cove.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Yesterday's Results.

Waco 7, Mexia 2.
Marlin 5, Austin 1.
Temptle-Corsicanat, wet grounds.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	18	12	6	.667
Waco	20	13	7	.650
Marlin	20	11	9	.550
Mexia	22	10	12	.455
Temple	18	7	14	.389
Austin	20	6	14	.300

Where They Play Today.

Mexia at Waco.
Corsicana at Temple.
Austin at Marlin.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 12, Beaumont 1.
Houston-Shreveport, wet grounds.
Fort Worth 5, Galveston 4.
Wichita Falls 6, San Antonio 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	27	21	6	778
San Antonio	28	18	10	.643
Dallas	28	16	12	.571
Wichita Falls	27	14	13	.519
Beaumont	28	13	15	.464
Houston	27	12	15	.444
Galveston	28	11	17	.393
Shreveport	25	4	21	.160

Where They Play Today.

Beaumont at Dallas.
Galveston at Fort Worth.
Houston at Shreveport.
San Antonio at Wichita Falls.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 11, New York 1.
Philadelphia 5, Detroit 4.
Boston 12, Chicago 0.
Cleveland 5, Washington 2, (called in seventh; rain.)

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	22	14	8	.636
St. Louis	23	13	10	.565
Boston	20	11	9	.550
Detroit	22	11	11	.500
Cleveland	22	11	11	.500
Chicago	21	10	11	.476
Washington	24	11	13	.458
Philadelphia	22	7	15	.318

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburgh-Philadelphia, rain.
New York 6, Chicago 4.
Boston 8, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	23	15	8	.652
New York	24	15	9	.625
Chicago	27	15	12	.556
Brooklyn	24	12	12	.500
Pittsburgh	24	11	13	.458
Boston	20	9	11	.540
St. Louis	23	9	14	.391
Philadelphia	19	6	13	.316

Where They Play Today.

Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

Eyes Bad? Try Camphor

For eye trouble there is nothing better than simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One small bottle helps any case sore, weak or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. Anderson & Horn, druggists.—(Adv.)

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Longview 9, Mount Pleasant 4.
Sulphur Springs 5, Paris 4.
Greenville 9, Marshall 5.
Tyler 5, Texarkana 1.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	22	15	7	.682
Greenville	22	13	9	.591
Tyler	21	12	9	.571
Sulphur Springs	22	12	10	.545
Paris	21	10	11	.476
Longview	21	10	11	.476
Marshall	21	8	12	.381
Texarkana	20	5	15	.250

Where They Play Today.

Greenville at Marshall.
Paris at Sulphur Springs.
Tyler at Texarkana.
Longview at Mount Pleasant.

TEN THOUSAND ATTENDED HUGE WEDDING FEAST

VIENNA.—The marriage of the 15-year-old daughter of Rabbi Teitelbaum, with the equally famous Rabbi Halberstamm of Gorlice, celebrated in the town of Marmoros-Sziget, in Northern Roumania, inspired a wedding feast of Homeric proportions for which were sacrificed 32 oxen, 210 sheep, 160 calves, 2100 geese and 3,000 chickens. Two carloads of liquid refreshments washed these down.

About 10,000 Jews from Russia, Poland and Austria appeared as guests, including seventy-five rabbis. Gifts to the happy couple were worth several thousand pounds. The ceremonies lasted a week, beginning with big dinners for the poor.

Says His Prescription Has Wonderful Influence over Rheumatism

Mr. James H. Allen of Rochester, N. Y., suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery, which he called Allenrhu, to others who took it with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. He has therefore instructed druggists everywhere to dispense Allenrhu with the understanding that if the first pint bottle does not show the way to complete recovery he will gladly return your money without comment. Anderson & Horn can supply you.—(Adv.)

Born Pickpocket, She Dies Millionaire.

SOPHIE LYONS BURKE

Sophie Lyons Burke, of Detroit, Mich., was a pickpocket at 6 and at 25 she was a world-famous international crook. Then she turned straight, and when she died she left an estate of $1,000,000, made in real estate deals.

For Mexia, I WILL.

Rough Dry

THE TIMID BORROWER

"I'd like to borrow $50 to buy a cow, I saw yesterday," said a farmer to the cashier of a country bank.

The cashier hesitated. "No, I can't lend you $50 for a cow, but I'll let you have $100 or $125."

Astonishment was written all over the face of the man seeking funds. "Why, I can't afford to pay that amount for a cow. I'm rather hard up just now."

"If you can afford to buy a cow at all, you can afford to buy a good cow instead of a poor one," replied the cashier. Then he proceeded to explain just why a high-priced cow was cheaper than one costing only $50.

"The average cow, producing about 165 pounds of butterfat valued at 56 cents a pound, earns $82 as a year's gross income," he said. "Deducting the cost of feed leaves a profit of only $10 to $12, and does not take into account the labor involved, depreciation, and other overhead expenses. Now can you honestly afford to buy this kind of a cow? A $100 or $125 cow will produce 300 to 350 pounds of butterfat. You can figure the profits for yourself."

Convinced of the profitableness of investing more money in a cow, the farmer left the bank with the funds in his hands. He started paying for the animal with his first milk check. One half of each milk check went to the bank to pay off the indebtedness, while the farmer retained the remainder for his expenses.—*Banker-Farmer.*

K. C. Marshall of Waco was a Mexia visitor Tuesday.

J. W. Pruitt, of Corsicana, was here Tuesday.

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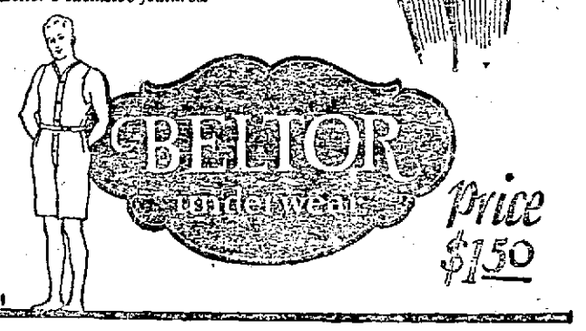

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The Mexia Daily News

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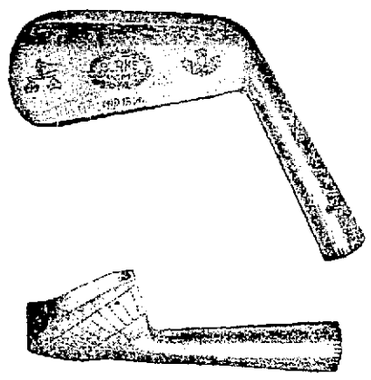

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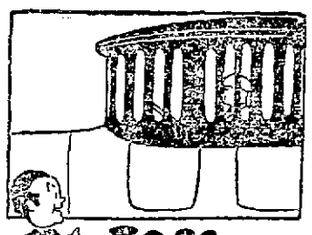

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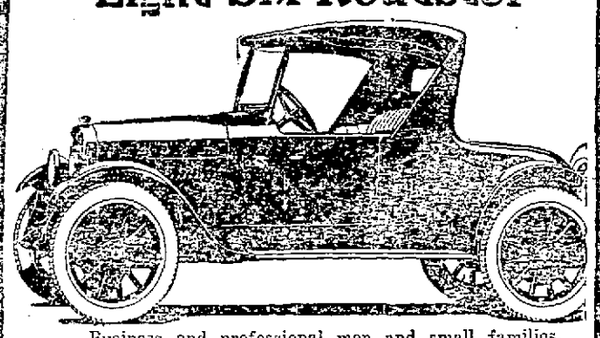

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Southern Baptists Gather at Atlanta

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 15.—Many members of the Southern Baptist church in Texas were expected in Atlanta, Ga., today for the opening session of that body at the annual convention. Particular attention is being paid to this year's assembly by all churches of the south because of the extensive program before the meeting.

Among the most important matters to be brought up for consideration will be the completion of the $75,000,000 campaign, the proposed reorganization of several boards, the reclaiming of George Washington university at Washington, and the taking over of Southwestern Baptist Theological seminary at Fort Worth.

Local News

W. D. Freeman has returned from Dallas, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He has been able to be in town a few times since his return. His many friends are glad to see him out again.

Roscoe Cook and wife and their daughter left Wednesday for Dallas to have their little girl treated by surgeons there.

Mrs. E. L. Reagan left for her home in Oklahoma City Wednesday after a visit with her brother, A. A. Vestal.

Mrs. Luther W. Adamson returned to her home in Dallas Wednesday after a very pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. andn Mrs. A. A. Steele.

Albert H. Berry and R. F. Babb of the Berry-Barnett Grocery Company attended the grocerymen's convention in Dallas this week.

Harry P. Jordan of Waco, candidate for the State Senate from this district, arrived in Mexia Wednesday in his campaign over the district.

Peyton Irving, Jr., of Austin, State inspector for the Department of Education of Texas, was in Mexia Tuesday.

C. E. Booth was here Tuesday from Austin.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight champion, stopped Joe White, New York, in the sixth round.

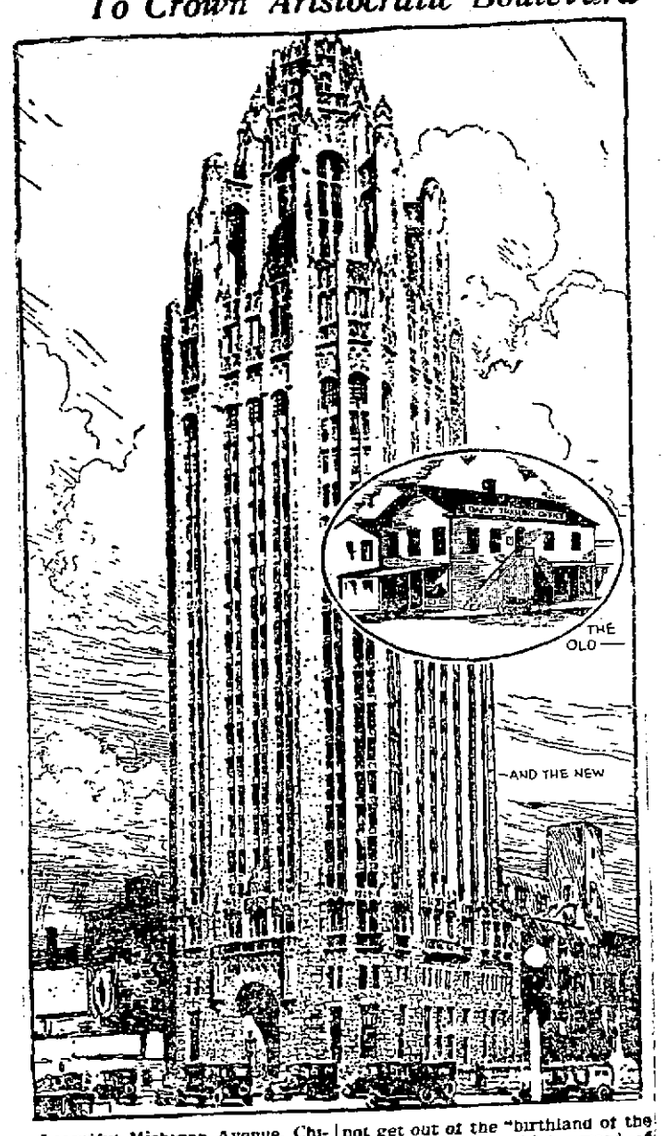
CHICAGO.—Herbie Schaeffer, Chicago, is carded to meet Phil O'Dowd in a 10-round match at Columbus, May 19.

CHICAGO.—Frankie Garcia, Memphis and Mickey O'Dowd, Munice, Ind., are scheduled to meet here for a 10-round battle next Monday night.

BIG BANK CLOSES

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., May 15.—The Drovers National Bank, one of the largest in Southern Illinois, closed its doors today. A sign on the door announced that the institution is in the hands of federal bank examiners. It is announced that the bank's failure is due to the failure during the past year of many Missouri banks.

New Monument of Enduring Beauty To Crown Aristocratic Boulevard



Beautiful Michigan Avenue, Chicago's imposing lane of architectural genius, is to be crowned by the most distinctive office building in the world. Work is already under way on the Tribune Tower, which afforded the greatest architectural contest in history, with prizes of $100,000.

On June 10, 1847, when the present roaring metropolis was a village, the first Chicago Tribune was printed on a hand press in a single room. Seventy-five years later to the day, the Tribune announced the architectural contest for the "world's most beautiful office building." Architects in twenty-two states and twenty-three foreign lands competed, 260 designs having been submitted. First prize did not get out of the "birthland of the skyscraper." This high award of $50,000 went to John Mead Howells and Raymond M. Hood, associate architects, New York. The remaining $50,000 was divided among other architects.

Determination of the owners to "adorn with a monument of enduring beauty" the city where the Tribune has prospered, resulted in selection of Indiana Limestone as the building material. Thus the Tribune Tower will harmonize with other striking limestone structures on Michigan Boulevard. These include the new $16,000,000 Straus building, the Chicago Art Institute, the Public Library, the new London Guarantee building and the University club.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero—Andy High.

The Brooklyn infielder put his team ahead with a homer and then beat the Cards, 4 to 3, in the ninth with a single.

Terry's single, a triple by Young and Frisch's single in the ninth inning scored two runs and gave the Giants a 6 to 4 victory over the Cubs.

Bunching hits off Hoyt and Pipgras for five runs in the fifth and sixth innings, the Browns beat the Yanks, 11 to 1, after the Yanks had raised the world championship pennant. Sisler got two doubles, a single, scored two runs and stole a base.

Jack Quinn, veteran spitballer, let the White Sox down with four hits and the Red Sox won, 12 to 0.

After losing twelve straight games, the Athletics came to life and beat the Tigers, 5 to 4.

The Indians hit Johnson and Zachary in the pinches and won a seven inning game from the Senators, 5 to 2.

Lose pitching by Shehan and an error by Bohne in the first inning gave the Braves five runs and an 8 to 2 victory over the Reds.

SCANDAL STILL BREAKS OUT IN OFFICIAL RING

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Ralph Day, former prohibition director of New York, was whitewashed after Secretary of the Treasury Mellon was informed that Day had been loaned $100,000 by alleged bootlegger, M. L. Scaife, former Department of Justice agent, charged before the Senate Daugherty investigating committee today. Day was allowed to resign and was never prosecuted, Scaife testified.

Joseph W. Allen was here from Temple Tuesday.

Yesterday's Homers.

Hornsby, Cards, one—total 5.
High, Robins, one—total 2.
Hollocher, Cubs, one—total 1.

With Babe Ruth at Bat.

First inning—Fanned.
Fourth inning—Walked.
Sixth inning—Walked.
Eighth inning—Singled to right.

Station Call Letters.

KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 326.
KFI, Los Angeles, 469.
KGO, Oakland, 312.
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.
KHJ, Los Angeles, 395.
KPO, San Francisco, 423.
KSD, St. Louis, 546.
GFSG, Los Angeles, 278.
KYW, Chicago, 536.
WAAW, Omaha, 360.
WBAP, Fort Worth, 476.
WBAV, Columbus, Ohio, 390.
WBZ, Springfield, Ill., 337.
WCAE, Pittsburgh, 462.
WWJ, Detroit, 517.
WMAQ, Chicago, 447.5.
WMC, Memphis, 500.
WSB, Atlanta, 429.
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.
WDAR, Chicago, 360.
WDAR, Philadelphia, 395.
WFAA, Dallas, 476.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.
WIP, Philadelphia, 509.
WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 390.
WLW, Cincinnati, 309.

Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

By DAISEY MAYS

(See Station Calls Above)

May 15, 1924.

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.
WWJ, 6, News orchestra.
KGO, 6 to 7:30, Orchestra.
WDAF, 6, to 7:30, School of the Air.
WOAW, 6 to 6:30, Every Child's Story Hour.
KYW, 6 to 6:30, Dinner concert.
WBZ, 6, Management in the Home.
KDKA, 6:15, Farm program.
WBZ, 6:30, Bedtime story for the Kiddies.
WOAW, 6:30 to 7:30, Dinner program.
WACE, 6:30, Uncle Kaybee.
WBZ, 6:30, Musical program.
WOC, 6:30, Sandman's visit.
KYW, 6:35, Talk on Sports.
KFSG, 6:30 to 7:30, Vocal and instrumental concert.
WGY, 6:45, A Few Moments with new books; Saxophone orchestra.
WCAE, 6:45, Feature.
KYW, 6:45, Talk.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WHB, 7 to 7:30, Educational bulletin instrumental numbers.
WDAP, 7 to 8, Drake Ensemble and Blackstone Quintet.
WMAQ, 7, Boy Scouts' Talk.
KYW, 7, "Twenty Minutes of Good Reading."
WFI, 7, Boy Scouts Radio Corps meeting.
KDKA, 7, KDKA orchestra.
WIP, 7, Timely talks to motorists.
WIP, 7:15, Philadelphia Police Band.
KGW, 7:15, Olson's orchestra.
KYW, 7:20 to 8:20, Musical program.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Concert.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.
WCX, 7:30, Musical program.
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBZ, 7:30, Recital of violin and various voices.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

KSD, 8, Musical program.
WSB, 8 to 9, Harmony Boys' orchestra.
KHJ, 8 to 8:30, Hickman's orchestra.
WJAX, 8, Concert numbers.
WDAP, 8 to 8:30, Barton organ.
WOS, Annual Journalism Week.
WHB, 8 to 10, Classical music by Sweeny orchestra.
WIP, 8, Concert.
WMAQ, 8, Talk.
KFSG, 8:30 to 9:30, Children's program.
WBZ, 8:30, Violin and piano.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Musical and dramatic program.
KHJ, 8:30 to 8:45, Music Memory contest.
WMC, 8:30, Philharmonic Orchestra.
WMAQ, 8:40, La Salle orchestra.
KHJ, 8:45 to 9, American History.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Concert entertainment.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
KGW, 9, Dance music.
WOC, 9, Palmer orchestra.
WBMAQ, 9, Lecture.
WOAW, 9, to 11, Piano recital.
KHJ, 9 to 9:30, Children's program.
WFI, 9:10, Kerr's orchestra.
WIP, 9:30, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Concert, Masonic Lodge orchestra.
KDKA, 9:30, Special Late Evening concert.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

WBZ, 10, Day's Events, General Conference, M. E. Church.
KPO, 10 to 12, Program.
KFI, 10 to 11, Ambassador Hotel concert.
WDAP, 10, Chapman's orchestra.
WLW, 10, Times-Star Radio club.
KFSG, 10 to 11, Address.
WCAE, 10, Late concert.
KGO, 10, "Enlarging Life's Territory."
KHJ, 10 to 12, Program of music.
WLW, 10:10, Concert.
WIP, 10:15, Weem's Dance orchestra.
WSB, 10:45, City Organist.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight.

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
KFSG, 11 to 12, Vocal and instrumental selections.
WFAA, 11 to 12, Favorite Music concert.
WLW, 11, Dance music.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

When better groceries are sold for less money in Mexia, Tidwell will do it—watch and see.

Rev. E. H. Hudson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, stated today that he does not expect to go to the Assembly which convenes in San Antonio today until about next Monday. His duties with the church here require that he remain over, he feels. Several members will likely go with him to the Assembly city next week. It will close on May the 22nd.

A light lunch may be the result of a blond hair in the butter.

THE KING IS DEAD LONG LIVE THE KING

LONDON, May 15.—Canton officials ridicule reports that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, head of the "South China Republic" is dead, the Hong Kong correspondent of the Central News telegraphed today and attributes the report of his death to the fact he has been incommunicado because of a fortnight's illness.

The Foreign Office in Pekin announced "Sun Yat Sen's death officially yesterday but it never has been confirmed from Canton.

Reports of the death have been circulated for the last three days.

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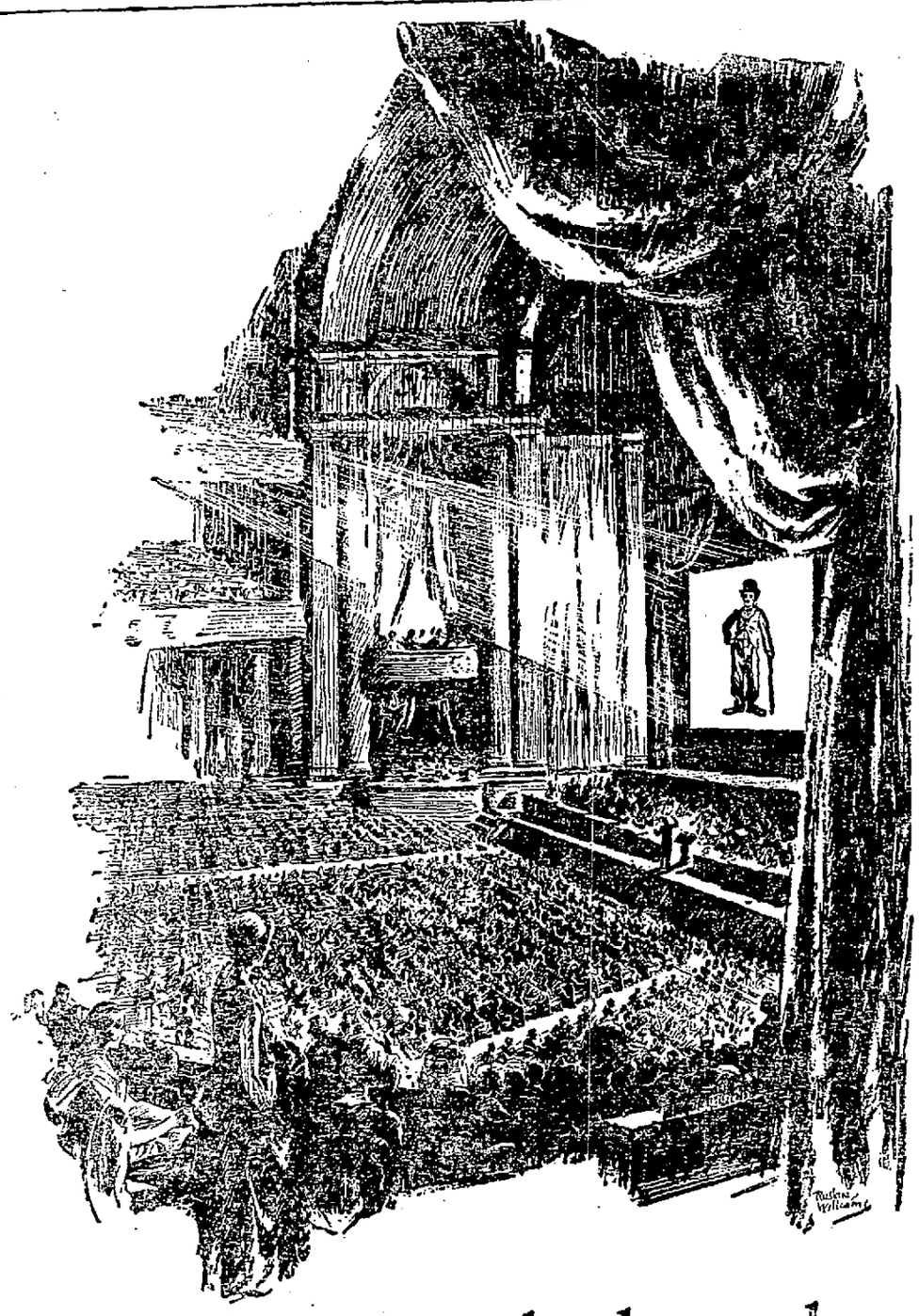

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Negro Ministers Organize Here

Of the eight or nine colored pastors of congregations in the city, six have formed a Ministrial Association which meets every Tuesday at 10 a. m. at one of the churches at which time they make reports of their Sunday's church services and discuss vital subjects for the uplift of their group.

Tuesday morning, the association met with the Launza Chapel M. E. church of which Rev. Summers is pastor. At this meeting, Rev. L. G. Farley, pastor of the Antioch Baptist church, offered a recommendation that each minister of the association urge upon his congregation to continue the sanitation drive that was begun some weeks ago and push same till the colored section was entirely rid of all accumulated rubbish and filth that served as breeding places for the fly, mosquito, and germ-carrying insects. The recommendation was heartily adopted by the association.

The organization is planning to invite several of the white pastors of the city to visit their meetings from time to time and address them on some very timely subjects.

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Printing was invented in the first half of the fifteenth century. Few books were to be had even after that time, other than in manuscript. Owing to its bulk it was very difficult to secure a copy of the Bible. To own one meant an enormous outlay for that period. So the masses of the people were obliged to rent a manuscript and pay for it by the hour. It is said that a load of hay was the price for rental for one hour a day, and that it was not so easy to get the one hour. People then, as now, were eager to read the Scriptures, but to do so they had to make many sacrifices. Many have paid for it by imprisonment and some with their lives. By contrast, what opportunities we have today. There is no restrictions on reading, the world is full of books, and the very best and greatest of them is within reach of everybody who reads this paper. Whether we approach it devoutly, or whether we desire it as a specimen of the finest literature, almost for the asking we can own one of the best editions of the Bible ever printed. For three coupons cut from this paper daily, and a very small sum of money the Big Print Red Letter Bible is yours. See another column for offer.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: BABE ADAMS AND THOMAS L. BLANTON
Below: MRS. MAUD BALLINGTON BOOTH & ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE

Ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, mentioned as the Republican Vice-Presidential candidate, is a guest at the White House. Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, Democrat, of Texas, was the target for a chair and a book when he engaged in a fight with Congressman William C. Hammer, Democrat, of North Carolina. Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth, "little mother" of the Volunteers of America, of which her husband is head, went to her Summer home on Fire Island, 60 miles from New York, to write a lecture on prison reform. Receding tides left her boat high on the beach. She set signals of distress, and coast guardsmen, believing they had found a rum runners' nest, burst in on her with drawn pistols. Embarrassed, they took her to the mainland, while her husband was organizing a searching party. "Babe" Adams, for 16 years the pitching ace of the Pittsburgh Pirates, broke down in the middle of a game on Forbes Field, and will never pitch again.

ARCHITECTS TO MEET

WASHINGTON, (United Press.)—Members of Congress, federal administrative officers and leading architects will discuss the public building problems and policies of the Uited States at the 57th convention of the American Institute of Architects, which, it is announced, will be held here May 21, 22 and 23. Milton B. Medary, Jr., of Philadelphia will preside at the public building session in the afternoon of the opening day. A president to succeed William B. Faville of San Francisco and other officers will be elected.

For Mexia, I WILL.

Parts of Texas Have Political Picnic of Late

DALLAS, Texas, May 14.—While the Democratic Convention may be somewhat overshadowing the Texas gubernatorial race, the candidates for governor have by no means let up in their stumping. With a weather eye on Waco, they have all been giving the eastern portion of the state daily planks from their platforms.

A hitherto stabled horse was shot into the race Saturday at Kerens when Jim Ferguson thundered out in his well known style.. Mr. Ferguson came to Dallas just a few weeks prior to his campaign after chicken feed and stated that he was waiting for his hens to lay before he could open. With his entrance, only two candidates are remaining idle—T. D. Barton and H. L. Darwin.

Lynch Davidson, the Houston candidate, repeatedly pointing out himself as the leading candidate and offering as proof of the fact, that all other candidates in the race have attacked him without mentioning each other, has been in the heart of East Texas. For the past week he has somewhat turned aside from his denunciation of blocs and cliques, and what he terms socialism in the Farm Labor platform, to his plans for reforestation.

W. E. Pope has been hot after him and has challenged him for a debate, the loser to drop out of the race. Lynch has replied in an interview to the effect that he considered the challenge only political trickery toward a feared man.

T. W. Davidson has been joining V. A. Collins in loudly denouncing the Klan and Felix Robertson as its exponent. Collins has been stating that he is connected with no clique or bloc, while Whit Davidson has been turning his fire on Lynch in protection of his Farm Labor Union Platform trusts.

Joe Burkett has been "lone wolfing" it and pointing out Whit as being run by the labor unions, Lynch a "business," and Robertson, a Ku Klux candidate.

"Can't" and "Can" candidates have developed in one instance. Lynch Davidson says he can save the state $10,000,000 biennially and Collins says taxes cannot be reduced.

With the seven almost within hearing distance of each other and appearing in many cities right on each others heels, Southern Texas has been having a political picnic. With the state Democratic nominee for president out of the way Texas is loking forward to a rather warm gubernatorial Fourth of July.

Regular Meeting Knights of Pythias

Travis Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias, will hold its regular weekly meeting tonight and confer the Rank of Page on a class of six. Officers, members and candidates for the rank are requested to be present promptly at 8 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

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J. F. Casey, of Corsicana, was among the vistors to the city Tuesday.

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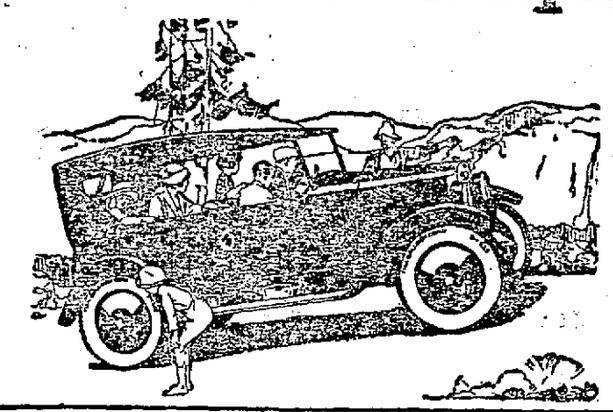

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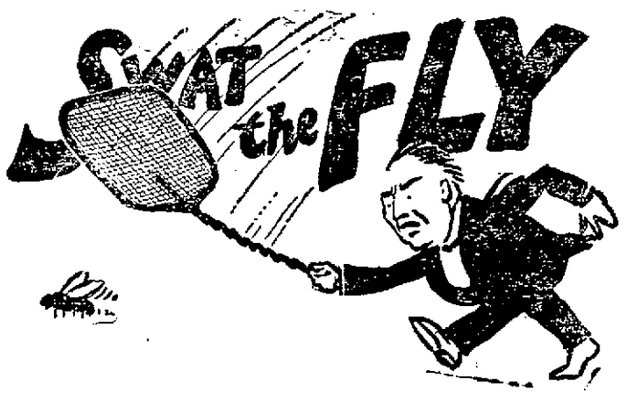

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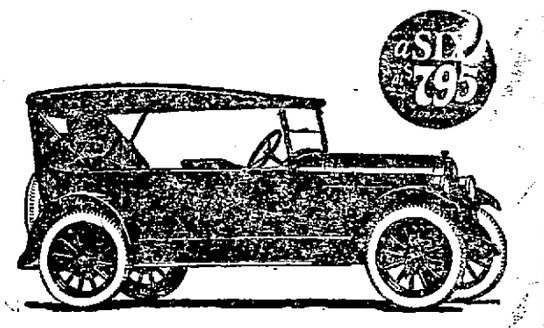

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No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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Filed on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1924, and numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 739, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand being in substance as follows: On July 14th, 1923, at the instance and request of Defendant the Plaintiff took defendant's note in the sum of $44.50, due thirty days after date, said note providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attoreny for collection. Plaintiff says further that he placed the note in the hands of Keys & Mason, attorneys, for collection, agreeing to pay them the ten per cent attorney's fees provided for in the note, the same being reasonable attorney's fees; that the note is now past due and unpaid, and that Defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and still refuses, to pay the same or any part thereof, to Plaintiff's damage in the principal sum of $44.50.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited to appear and answer this suit; that he have judgment in the principal sum of $44.50, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, to which he may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, but have then and there before said Court, at said regular term, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of April, A. D., 1924.

O. KENNEDY,
Justice of the Peace,
Precinct No. 4 Limestone County, Texas.
(May 1-8-15-22)

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For Mexia, I WILL.

CANDIDATES.

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
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For Judge 87th Judicial District—
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J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
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R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
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For Public Weigher—
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Senator Wheeler To Be Freed By His Colleagues

By FRAZER EDWARDS

WASHINGTON, May 14.—"Not guilty" is the verdict that will be returned by committee of his colleagues who "tried" Senator Wheeler, of Montana, on charges of misusing his office, it was learned today.

A report completely exonerating Wheeler was ready for submission to the committee for approval today and will be submitted to the Senate before the end of the week.

Action on the report by the Senate is understood to be unnecessary in the event the charges against Wheeler were found to lack grounds for impeachment.

Sneator Sterling, South Dakota, who assumed the role of "prosecutor" in the investigation is expected to file a minority report. In addition to Chairman Borah, who is drafting the report, Senator McNary, Oregon, Republican, and Senators Swanson, Va., and Caraway, Ark., will sign the majority report, it was said.

After presenting the report Senator Borah intends to deliver a speech and riview the evidence on which Wheeler was indicted by a Montana grand jury.

No date has been set for Wheeler's trial in Montana, but he said today that he would insist upon speedy action on the part of the Department of Justice. He wants an immediate hearing and the indictment against him quashed, he said.

Water Question Discussed At W. Texas C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 15.—Water problems of West Texas were discussed today at a special meeting called by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Recent decisions of courts affecting water rights and irrigation laws were discussed by a selected group of experts.

Stuart L. Williams, president of the Texas conservation association, presided. J. E. Starley, Dallas; J. F. Gaines, San Antonio; Major R. F. Burgess, El Paso and members of the state board of water engineers were among those who attended.

GRATIFICATION OF OWNERS

The appreciation which has been expressed by those who have already secured their Red Letter Edition by the coupon Bible offer, is most gratifying to this paper. It was expected that a desire to acquire such a remarkable volume would be voiced by many, but it was not expected that such an overwhelming number would take advantage of the opportunity so quickly. The concensus of opinion seems to indicate that it was a real inspiration to have Christ's spoken thoughts put in red type, making its identification easy.

The highest praise which has come to the paper for the manner of distributing is most pleasing also. The only regret is that it cannot go on indefinitely. The number of Bibles is decreasing so much more rapidly than was supposed possible that it is feared everybody cannot be supplied. No coupon gift can be recalled that has seemed to fill so great a want. It is therefore urged that those not already possessing this Bible secure the three necessary coupons at once. Today's coupon is elsewhere in the paper, with additional information as to how to obtain this unusual Bible.

Billy Sunday Lives by Faith

CHICAGO.—"The Lord will not forsake me—we have been partners for 38 years," Billy Sunday said here enroute to Rochester Minnesota for treatment for kidney trouble. "Ma" Sunday, Billy's wife, accompanied him.

Scholarship Fund to Be Established

AUSTIN, Texas.—A $5,000 scholarship fund for journalism students at the University of Texas will be established by the Texas Women's Press Association, it was decided at the annual convention here. Half of the fund has already been raised.

Dry Officer Charged with Graft

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Arthur L. Curran, director here of federal prohibition and six agents under his command were indicted by a federal grand jury. Indictments followed investigation of alleged graft in enforcing the liquor laws.

San Angelo Man Heads W. T. C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas.—Col. C. C. Walsh, San Angelo, was elected president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in annual convention here. El Paso, Mineral Wells, and Amarillo are seeking the 1925 convention.

Texas University Presidency Considered

AUSTIN, Texas.—The University Board of Regents met here Thursday to consider appointment of a new president of the state institution. Gov. Neff yesterday appointed W. S. Whaley, Cleburne, a member of the board.

Two Fugitives Still on Run

McALESTER, Okla.—Two of the nine prisoners who escaped from the state penitentiary here are still at large. Seven of the fugitives were captured by a posse of citizens and sheriffs.

N. Y. Cabarets Ordered Padlocked

NEW YORK.—Nine cabarets, including many of New York's most prominent night resorts, have been ordered padlocked for a year by federal authorities. The cafes were claimed to have violated liquor laws. They are the Plantation, Palais Royale, Moulin Rouge, Four Hundred Club, Mont Matre, Club Royale, Bal Moral Club, Club Gallant, and Barn Club.

American Girl Weds Swiss Official

WASHINGTON.—Mary Wallace, daughter of the secretary of agriculture, was married here to Dr. Charles Burgmann, of the Swiss legation. President and Mrs. Coolidge were among the distinguished guests at the wedding.

Wants $20,000 For Damaged Character

HOUSTON, Texas, May 15.—Because he is employed by a railroad and because handbills were scattered about alleging that he had used a "free pass" for political purposes, B. P. Panas, defeated candidate for mayor of Park Place, has brought suit against certain voters for $20,000.

Panas alleges that his character and reputation were damaged to the extent of the $20,000 because the handbills implied he had used a "pass" in violation of the Texas criminal law in going to Austin to consult the attorney general regarding contemplated improvements for Park Place.

Agricultural experts at a Pennsylvania college have developed a new variety of wheat that produces five more bushels to the care in that state than any other standard varities planted there.

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CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS SPOTLIGHT.

Above: PRESIDENT WOJOIECHOWSKI & GEORGE D. SHAW
Below: ANGELO MILTON ELLISON & SAMUEL GOMPERS

The Polish Cabinet, meeting in Warsaw, is considering measure to limit the freedom of speech of President Wojciechowski, who recently made speeches in Posen that were interpreted as recommending an imperialistic policy. When Samuel Gompers, veteran president o the American Federation of Labor, attempted to address the convention of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union in Boston hecklers broke up the meeting in disorder. George Bernard Shaw, addressing a Norwich, Eng., meeting of labor men, said he was an original Communist, who wished only a nice flat in the fashionable West End of London, a nice country estate, $10,000 pocket money and a couple of motor cars and he would be contented. Angelo Milton Ellison, Greek protege of the late Edward F. Searles, aged Methuen, Mass., millionaire recluse, has sued in New York City courts for the $20,000,000 left by Searles to his secretary, Arthur T. Walker. Ellison declares he was promised by Searles that he would receive the estate, but that he got only $10,000. Sensational developments are promised.

Engineers are planning to obtain an immense amount of electric power by utilizing steam which continually issues from a volcano in a chain of mountains between Chile and Boliva.

Invented by a New Mexico man a display stand for fruits and vegetables consists of a basket lined with burlap saturated with an antiseptic solution, the evaporation of which cools the contents.

New Treatment For Varicose Veins And Ulcers

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to get a two-ounce, original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength), at any pharmacist and start to reduce the veins and bunches at once.

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E. A. Knowles was here Tuesday from Waco.

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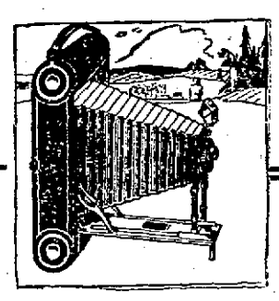

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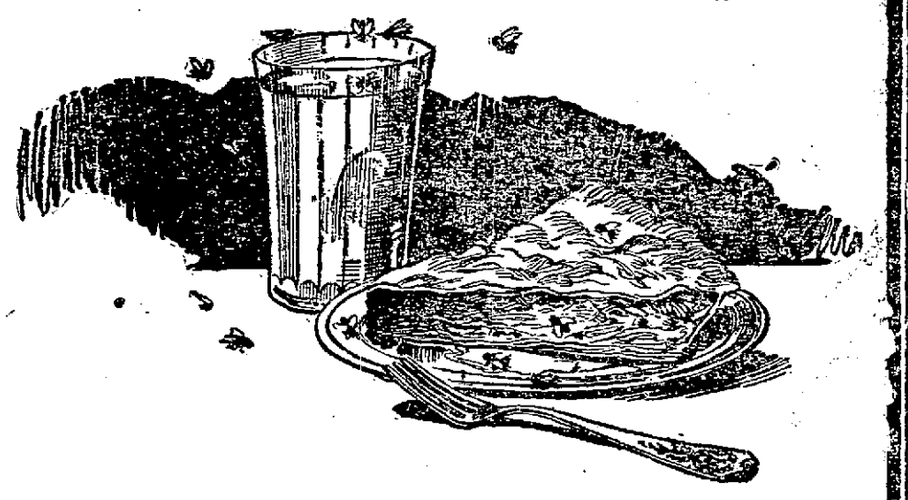

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